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CITY OF KINGSTON, N. Y., MONDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 7, 1925.

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Elks' Memorial Service Sunday Largely Attended

Too Many "Go Getters" and Not Enough "Go Givers"—Says Father O'Reilly in Eulogy—Mendelssohn Club Gives Musical Program—An Impressive Ceremony.

Memorial services were conducted Sunday afternoon at the Elks' Club House by members of Kingston Lodge, No. 550, B. P. O. E., in honor of the members of the lodge who have died during the past year. The services were held in the lodge rooms of the lodge and in the absence of James R. Higley, exalted ruler of the lodge, A. H. Cok, past grand exalted ruler, was in charge of the services.

The memorial service of Kingston Lodge was in accordance with a custom of the Elks. The first Sunday of each December every lodge throughout the country conducts similar services in honor of the departed brothers who have died during the year. Since the memorial services a year ago, fourteen members of the local lodge have passed away.

Music by Mendelssohn Club.

Members of the Mendelssohn Club were in charge of the musical program and during the services sang three numbers. The Rev. William J. Nelson, pastor of the Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, delivered the invocation and closing prayer. Following the invocation the members of the Mendelssohn Club sang "The Autumn Sea" by Gerleke. The opening of the lodge and friends was followed by "Song My Mother Taught Me" by Dvorak-Smith, sung by the members of the Mendelssohn Club.

The Rev. Francis M. O'Reilly of St. Peter's Church, Rosendale, delivered the oration of the day before an audience, which comfortably filled the large lodge rooms. Father O'Reilly chose as his subject "Fidelity," which was one of the first qualities of an Elk.

Elks Remember When Others Forget. The Rev. O'Reilly stated in opening that it was a great tribute to the Elks and significant of their spirit that they could lay aside for the day their cares in order to meet and pay tribute to their departed brothers. In the strife of today many would fall to stop and honor the memory of those who had passed beyond, but not the Elks. All over the country similar memorial meetings were being held. From the departed Elks could expect to gain nothing but inspiration, and it was wonderful that they could meet to renew their fidelity to their brothers who had passed beyond.

"Go Getters" and "Go Givers."

In commenting upon modern times and modern customs, Father O'Reilly said that he, unlike many, did not believe that the present generation was any worse than any other. He believed that those of today were every bit as good as those who have gone before, and he looked for even better times ahead. One of the great troubles, however, of today was the modern belief in the "go-getter." To much stress was laid on this and not enough on the "go-giver." The slogan of too many was to go get what they can and give the least possible.

The Spirit of Elksdom.

In contrast with this spirit was the spirit which is at the foundation of the order of Elks. Charity, brotherly love, justice and fidelity are the principles of the Elks, and the spirit was shown by the fact that the Elks could set aside a day as one of love and respect for those who have passed away. It was fidelity to the dead that was being exemplified by the memorial services of Kingston Lodge and all other Elk organizations throughout the country.

Fidelity Easy to Practice.

Fidelity was something which it was very easy to practice, but which some found it very hard. Many practice the spirit of fidelity but practice it in the wrong manner. The gangster and the gun-man were often actuated by fidelity but theirs was of the wrong kind. The Elks not only practice it through life but maintain their loyalty after death and "an Elk is never forgotten." Their faults are "written on the sands and their virtues upon the tablets of love and memory."

An Inspiration to Others.

Father O'Reilly, an officer during the war, drew a simile of the manner in which the secretary of the lodge had called off the names of those who had died during the past year and the manner in which it was done each morning following an engagement during the war. As during the war the spirit of those killed in action would inspire the comrades, so today the spirit of those who had passed away would likewise inspire their brothers.

At the conclusion of Father O'Reilly's eulogy the members of the Mendelssohn Club sang "The Day Closes," by A. Sullivan. "The Star Spangled Banner" sung by the members of the lodge and their friends followed, and the Rev. William J. Nelson closed the services with the Benediction.

An Impressive Feature.

One of the solemn and touching features of the exercises was the calling of the roll of fourteen members who had died during the last services. They were called off by the secretary and George F. Holmes, Harold F. McInnis, at the conclusion the exalted ruler said, "In vain we call upon Lawless."

Ulster County Society Officers

Stanley Styles Elected Secretary to Succeed the Late Joseph Drake—Other Officers Re-elected—Committee to Plan Permanent Memorial to Mr. Drake—Annual Banquet January 16.

The tenth annual banquet of the Ulster County Society in the City of New York will be held at the Waldorf Astoria Hotel, New York City, on Saturday evening, January 16, according to plans which were approved at the annual meeting of the society which was held on Saturday afternoon at Sardi's Restaurant (formerly Stewart's), No. 23 Park Place, New York.

John T. Loughran, president of the society, presided over the meeting which was largely attended.

Officers of the society were elected as follows:

Honorary president, George S. Clay. Honorary vice-president, William Winter. President, John T. Loughran. Vice-president, Lewis A. Alliger. Treasurer, Holey R. Cantine. Historian, Judge A. T. Clearwater. Secretary, Stanley Styles.

All of the officers were re-elected except Stanley Styles of The Martin Cantine Company, who was elected secretary to succeed the late Joseph Drake.

The members discussed the creation of a suitable permanent memorial to Joseph Drake, who was secretary of Ulster County Society from its formation up to the time of his death at the Kingston City Hospital last June, and President Loughran was authorized, on motion of MacDonald DeWitt, to appoint a committee to plan and report such a memorial. The committee will be appointed later. Mr. Drake was in every sense the founder of the Ulster County Society and it was due to his untiring efforts that the society increased year by year to its present large membership.

William Winter, chairman of the banquet committee, reported that the annual dinner will be held at the Waldorf Astoria on Saturday evening, January 16, and as this will be the tenth annual dinner, it is proposed to make the anniversary the occasion of a bigger and better banquet than ever before.

LEND-A-HAND SOCIETY TO HOLD ANNUAL SALE

The annual sale of the Lend-a-Hand Society of the Dr. C. O. Sahler Sanitarium will be held Wednesday, December 9, beginning at 5 p. m., in the main hall on the first floor of the sanitarium.

The above organization was founded for the purpose of helping others and the proceeds of the sales going to bring comfort and help to many in the city of Kingston.

The public is invited to come and help in a most worthy cause. There will be found a large display of useful and beautiful home made articles at moderate prices.

FIFTEEN TRUCK LOADS OF LIQUOR SEIZED

Walpole, Mass., Dec. 7.—Fifteen truck loads of liquor were seized in a series of raids on North Walpole houses by police raiders early today.

Six dwelling houses were visited and besides the liquor seized six men were arrested. Fifteen policemen on a truck worked hours in bringing the confiscated booze to town hall.

Five big moonshine stills were uncovered.

ABANDONS HOPE OF FINDING DAUGHTER ALIVE

Northampton, Mass., Dec. 7.—"Please dynamite the rivers and ponds again. I think my daughter is dead."

This telegram received from Utica, N. Y., today by State Detective Joseph Daly, leading the search for Miss Alice M. Corbett, 19, missing Smith College, junior, was from the girl's father and was taken to mean that he had abandoned hope of finding his daughter alive.

POLICE CALLED ON TO SHOOT TWO DOGS SUNDAY

The police department was called upon to shoot two dogs on Sunday.

The first call was from Gage street where some one had poisoned a dog. The dog was shot by Officer Patum. A little later the police received a call to East Union street to shoot a dog that had been struck by an automobile. Officer Sachoff put the animal out of its misery.

"Blinker" Was Damaged

Sunday evening the big "Blinker" traffic standard at Broadway and Railroad avenue was struck by William Brown, chauffeur for John D. Schoonmaker, knocking it a distance of over fifty feet. Both car and standard were damaged.

The Departed Brothers

Those who have died are: Alex. Albert, George F. Wilkowsky, Otto Schenckel, Michael J. Flannigan, Charles Reynolds, William F. Monk, John W. Marx, William Dugan, John W. Remmer, George Barnard, were called off by the secretary and George F. Holmes, Harold F. McInnis, at the conclusion the exalted ruler said, "In vain we call upon Lawless."

Reorganization Has Big Problems

Governor, Legislature and Non-Partisan Commission May All Find Themselves at Odds Over Consolidation of State Department—Disagreement Over Jobs Likely.

Albany, Dec. 7.—Governor Smith is prepared to go "more than half way" with the Republican leaders of the 1926 Legislature in an effort to bring about a real reorganization of the state government under the constitutional amendment adopted at the last election, his friends said today.

The non-partisan commission headed by former Secretary of State Charles E. Hughes is now at work on the reorganization recommendations which it will submit to the lawmakers early in the coming session.

It was pointed out today at the capitol that the Republican leaders will not be bound to accept the recommendations made by the Hughes commission but that they may disregard them entirely and go ahead and pass measures of their own to carry the reorganization into effect.

Should the G. O. P. leaders attempt to legislate into jobs any of the members of their party who otherwise would lose their positions under the reorganization plan, then the governor will fight back with all of his ability, his friends declared today.

Under the governor's plan, the 108 scattered bureaus and agencies of the state government would be consolidated into 21 main departments with the head of each directly responsible to the governor.

One thing is certain, according to both the governor and the Republican leaders, and that is that everyone will make certain the state education department is not dragged into politics. Both sides agree that the education department and politics should never be mixed.

There is much anxiety among scores of state employees as to whether they will lose their positions under the reorganization plan. Some of the state officials are inclined to the belief that there will be just as many jobs under the reorganization plan as at present.

Seek \$25,000 For New Church

The Rev. E. O. Clarke, pastor of the Franklin Street, A. M. E. Zion Church, on Sunday announced to his congregation that in March a drive would be started to raise \$25,000 for a new church building to replace the present edifice. In calling attention to the proposed financial drive Mr. Clarke stated that the present edifice was not adequate and needed considerable repairing. "The present building is a disgrace," he declared, "and the congregation needs a modern building to carry on its work successfully in Kingston." The present church organization was incorporated in 1853 and during all succeeding years, said Pastor Clarke, it has been an asset and not a liability, having accomplished a remarkable amount of good for the people it was intended to serve.

Masonic Dance Friday Evening

A Masonic dance will be held on Friday evening at the state armory under the auspices of the Craftsmen's Club of Rondout Lodge, No. 243, F. & A. M., for the benefit of the Masonic Temple fund. The dance will be informal in character. There will be two orchestras to play for the concert and dance. The concert will be held from 8 to 9 o'clock followed by general dancing. The music will be furnished by Zucca's orchestra and the Colonial Serenaders. Tickets may be obtained at Johnston's drug store on the Strand; Sam Stern, 42 Broadway; Connolly Drug Company, 11 Broadway; Y. M. C. A.; Masagick Club; 635 Broadway; at both stores of the McBride Drug Company and at Bedrick's drug store, 248 Wall street. The Craftsmen's Club will meet at Rondout Lodge rooms on Tuesday evening at 6:30 o'clock to complete plans for the event.

SAUGERTIES RECEIVES FERRARO'S PETITION

At the meeting of the board of trustees of the village of Saugerties last Friday evening a petition from Frank Ferraro to operate a motor bus line between Kingston and Albany was received and referred to a public hearing to be held in the village on Friday evening, December 18.

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RECORDED HAS ANOTHER FORGED UNITED BANKNOTE

New York, Dec. 7.—Brooklyn, cradle of the first forged hundred dollar bill, today has another handily forged bill. Nothing comfortably with crossed legs and smoking a cigarette in a chair at a Chinese restaurant last night, she directed her four armed underlings in forging 12 men and women bills in a workshop. The band not \$500 and escaped in a taxi.

Several Cases In Police Court

George Heldron of No. 2 Second avenue was arrested Sunday evening by the police on complaint of Leo Gallo who alleged that Heldron had entered his place of business at 6 Hanratty street and helped himself to a bag containing \$20.50. This morning in police court the hearing was adjourned to Thursday.

John B. Duffy, arrested for public intoxication on Wall street, was jailed for ten days.

James Ryan and Harley Williams, the two young men found locked in a freight car on the West Shore railroad and arrested for train riding, were discharged. They were arrested Thursday evening and said they had crawled into the car when they found the door unlocked and went to sleep. When they awoke it was to find the car locked and sealed.

Arrests Follow Auto Accidents

Two automobile accidents were reported from the town of Ulster Sunday. Charles Schoonmaker of Catskill lodged a complaint against a man named Bahl from this city. Bahl was arraigned before Justice of the Peace Walter Webber at Flatbush and fined \$10 on a reckless driving charge.

The second accident happened when Frank Dudenhausen of this city attempted to pass another car going in the same direction. A car coming south driven by a man named Elwanger and the Dudenhausen car collided and the Elwanger car was overturned. Elwanger had Dudenhausen arrested on a charge of reckless driving and when arraigned before Judge Webber there was some difference as to who was to blame. Dudenhausen claimed that the other car was coming at a reckless clip at the time of the accident. In order to straighten out the matter the case was adjourned until this evening so that both parties might secure witnesses and prepare for trial.

Under \$300 Bond To Keep the Peace

John Haver of 109 Farrelly street was placed under arrest at 6:30 o'clock this morning by Deputy Sheriff Edward Gaynor. Haver was arrested on a warrant issued by Justice of the Peace Henry E. McKenzie of the town of Esopus. It is charged that Haver threatened Burton Ames at St. Remy on Sunday evening when the complaint states that Haver threatened to assault and kill Ames and also used indecent language. He was held under \$300 bond to keep the peace for six months. Sunday evening a call was received at the office of the sheriff calling for help, that there was a fight in progress. The informant stated that at that time, however, the party who started the trouble had gone, consequently no one was sent to St. Remy.

Officers Broke Up Gang at Rosendale

Saturday night a call was sent in to the sheriff asking for help at Rosendale. It was stated that there was a gang of men on the bridge in the village who were insulting women who passed and that warning had been unheeded by them. An effort by local people to break up the gang had resulted in a near riot and threats by the gang.

Deputy Sheriff Gaynor and Constable Nichols were notified. Gaynor arrived on the scene and quickly stopped the disorder. Augmented by the constable the crowd was broken up and the trouble ceased. The gang was warned that if the authorities were again called there would be arrests made.

Grange Receipts Now \$376,000

New York, Dec. 7.—"Red" Grange, a country boy from Illinois, who learned to play big league football, came to New York. He left for Washington, D. C., today after a 24 hour visit and "cleaned up" \$276,000.

A movie contract gave him \$260,000.

His appearance at the Polo Grounds netted him \$24,000.

Additional "small change" came from the following sources for putting the use of his name:

A "Red" Grange sweater, \$12,500; a Grange football doll, \$10,000; a Grange cap, \$2,500; a Grange souvenir football, \$2,500; pictures for a Grange company "Red" doesn't smoke, \$1,000; miscellaneous "grange" donations, \$4,000.

Tea Shop Products Go Far

The Little Tea Shop, 5 Main street, which was recently opened, has received orders for their famous fruit cake for Christmas from distant points. Two orders have been received from California for holiday fruit cake and one order has been received from China. Orders have also been received from New York city and other places.

Barrier Before League of Nations

Sub-Committee Unable to Reconcile French and British Views on Disarmament—Consider Report on Greek-Bulgarian Clash.

Geneva, Dec. 7.—The League of Nations council, which opened its 37th session today, encountered its first obstacle when the sub-committee considering the subject of disarmament, reported its failure to reach an agreement.

The council then ordered that the sub-committee reconvene and make new efforts to reach an agreement. There was but slight prospect of any agreement within the sub-committee.

The failure was ascribed to the inability of members to reconcile divergent French and British viewpoints.

The split between Britain and France occurred when M. Boncour, the French member, suggested that the disarmament conference take into consideration the extension of actual military aid by the league to any member nation which found itself attacked.

Lord Cecil, speaking for England, refused to accept the suggestion. The council considered the report of the Rumbold commission on the recent Greece-Bulgarian border clash.

M. Kalfoff, Bulgarian minister of foreign affairs, speaking for Bulgaria, said that he would accept the commission's award of 30,000,000 levas indemnity from Greece, although he protested that the sum was insufficient.

M. Rendis, Greek foreign minister, however, made a fiery speech in which he declared that if the Rumbold commission report was adopted that Greece would appeal to the permanent court of justice. He declared that Bulgaria was the aggressor in the affair and that Greece demanded indemnity of 50,000,000 drachmas from Bulgaria.

The speech of M. Rendis was interpreted as being for home consumption for it is understood that Greece has already signified that she will pay the indemnity awarded Bulgaria.

"Duchess" Again Taken by "Drys"

St. Albans, Ver., Dec. 7.—An attractive blonde, known to the federal border patrol as "the Duchess" and who says she is Mrs. Hilda Stone of Massachusetts, is a woman of mystery to federal investigators.

Her real identity is unknown, home addresses given by the woman have proved fakes, her past is a closed book. To every question she replied: "I have nothing to say, try and find out."

For many months "the Duchess" has been running circles around the rum patrol. Camouflaged as tourists, she and her lieutenants have been supplying Boston and New York with choice Canadian liquors, with a base at Greenfield, Mass.

"The Duchess" walked out of the jail at North Stratford, N. H., a week ago only to be re-captured near here.

Asks Approval of Senator Berenger

Paris, Dec. 7.—The French government has asked the United States for its approval of the appointment of Senator Henri Berenger as an ambassador to the United States, on a temporary mission. The mission is concerned almost entirely with the negotiation of a settlement of the French debt to the United States.

The cabinet is expected to approve the nomination of Senator Berenger, as ambassador to the United States, tomorrow.

The mission of the new ambassador is expected for a duration of six months, and if the debt is not settled within that time, the power of the mission will be renewed.

The foreign affairs committee report, which is being submitted to the chamber of deputies today, recommends immediate settlement of the French debt to the United States, declaring that "the solution of this delicate and complex problem must not be delayed longer because its settlement is vital for our country."

CAPTAIN EVERETT FOWLER RETIRED FROM GUARD

Captain Everett Fowler of this city, who was on the reserved list of the National Guard, having reached the age of 64, has been retired upon his application by National Guard orders issued from Albany in accordance with the provisions of the military law.

ELKS TO HOLD SMOKER AND ENTERTAINMENT

The house committee of Kingston Lodge of Elks has arranged to hold another of their star entertainments and smoker, to be held at the Elks' club room, Fair street, on Monday evening, December 14.

Farm Delegates Cheer Coolidge

Chief Executive at Convention of American Farm Bureau Federation Warmly Defends the High Protective Tariff.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 7.—Four thousand "dirt" farmers, assembled at the seventh annual convention of the American Farm Bureau Federation here today, heard President Coolidge enunciate the agricultural program of his administration, a program founded primarily on absolute rejection of any legislation embodying artificial relief such as federal price fixing on farm produce.

Whether they agreed with him or not, the farm delegates cheered the president to the echo and sensed that Mr. Coolidge was addressing himself not to the farmers alone but also to the congress assembling in Washington at precisely the same hour.

The president promised his administration would do all possible to promote cooperative marketing, would seek to expand existing credit agencies, and would retain the high protective tariff. But as for any such legislation as the McNary-Haugen bill offered in the last session of congress, Mr. Coolidge declared:

"No matter how it is disguised, the moment the government engages in buying and selling farm produce, by that act it is fixing prices. Moreover, it would apparently destroy cooperative associations and all other machinery, for no one can compete with the government. Ultimately it would end the independence which the farmers of the country enjoy as a result of centuries of struggle and prevent the exercise of their own judgment and control in cultivating their land and marketing their produce."

"Government control cannot be divorced from political control. The overwhelming interest of the consumer, not the smaller interest of the producer, would be sure to dominate in the end."

The executive entered a warm defense of the tariff, citing numerous figures to prove that it was a tremendous protection for the farmer, and designed primarily for that purpose.

MRS. CURTIS SHURTNER GRANTED DIVORCE DECREE

Mrs. Wilhelmina Shurtner of this city was granted an interlocutory decree of divorce from her husband, Curtis Shurtner, a former well known musician of Kingston, by Justice A. H. F. Seeger in special term of the Supreme court in Poughkeepsie on Saturday. Mrs. Shurtner was represented by Attorney Chris. Flanagan.

Harry Maisenhelder, a musician of this city, was one of the witnesses and testified to an indiscretion committed by Shurtner with a young unmarried woman in a road house near Saugerties during the summer of 1920.

Mrs. Shurtner was granted alimony of \$15 a week.

MRS. RIESER TO BROADCAST OVER WGY TUESDAY

Tuesday evening at about 8:45 o'clock, Mrs. William H. Rieser's many friends will be privileged to hear her sing over the radio one of her most inspiring programs from WGY, Schenectady. The program will include the following songs: Call Me Not Back, Eternamente, Meadow Lark, Song of Erin, group of southern songs.

CONTINUE BUSINESS OF THE LATE LEO V. GROGAN.

The undertaking business and ambulance service which was established by the late Leo V. Grogan at Wall and Pearl streets, will be continued under the same name. The business will be continued under competent management and the same careful attention will be given to all business as in the past.

NIAGARA AND STEUBEN COUNTIES GAINED

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Niagara county gained 14,732 new residents in the last five years giving it a total population of 133,437, according to census figures announced here today. Steuben county has a population of 82,173, a five year growth of 1,548.

WATCH FOR BALLOONS.

Coupons Redeemable at Kingston Gas & Electric Company.

Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock a number of large silver balloons will be released from the roof of the Kingston Gas & Electric Company office building. To each balloon there will be attached a tag which is redeemable at the company's office as a cash payment on the purchase of a Hoover vacuum. These cash tags will be valid until December 15, 1925. Only one coupon is allowed to any one consumer.

In Larger Quarters.

Mrs. Alice V. Samuels, public stenographer and notary, has moved from The Advance Building to larger quarters over the United Clear Store, corner of Wall and John streets.

Fire Destroys Library.

Mount Pleasant, Mich., Dec. 7.—Fire tonight destroyed the main building and library of the Central Michigan Normal School, causing a loss estimated at more than \$100,000.

Tax Problem Foremost Job of New Congress

Rivals Are in Harmony to Lower Levies — Aircraft, Prohibition, Etc., Furnish the Battle Rally-Points.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Fresh from nine months' contact with the people "back home" congress returned to the center of the national stage today to take up and deal with a vast array of problems, national and international.

It is a new congress, the sixty-ninth, predominantly Republican in both houses, yet sufficiently tarred with the brush of insurgency as to make its leaders somewhat apprehensive.

It will be, its leaders believe, a "kilkenny" congress, a sort of free for all, with President Coolidge and his lieutenants hard put at times to accomplish some of the things that are near the top of the administration program.

The house, despite the opening glare of progressive trumpets, is considered comparatively "safe" by administration leaders. There the Republican majority over all opposition is sufficiently large to allow for the defection of the Wisconsin insurgents and their cohorts.

Senate More Difficult.

The senate is more difficult from the administration standpoint. There is a paper majority for the Republicans there of fifteen, yet it is a majority that cannot be wielded and will oppose many of the measures that the administration will sponsor. At least eight of this nominal majority of 15 vote as often with the Democrats as with their own party, thus turning a seeming Republican majority into a minority.

Agreement on Revenue Bill.

Opening day found the leaders as well as the rank and file generally agreed upon but one big point, the desirability of proceeding immediately and forcefully with the passage of a new revenue act, which will top some \$225,000,000 from the annual tax bill of the people.

By March 15, next, both Republican and Democratic leaders predicted, everyone's income tax will have been cut approximately in half, and the last of the war-time "nuisance" taxes wiped off the slate.

In the uncharted seas that lie beyond this tax bill, there promises to be some sanguinary conflict, with the aircraft controversy, the world court, prohibition enforcement, and agricultural relief furnishing the battle rally-points.

Air Service To Be Aired.

Congress has a dozen or more plans for dealing with the aviation row and most of them are designed to build up the air defenses of the country more or less along the lines laid down by Colonel William Mitchell. The administration here will be on the defensive, having taken the position, in the Morrow Air Craft report that there is not a great deal to Colonel Mitchell's sensational charges.

The Program.

The program for the session, if it such can be called, is neither extensive or definite beyond certain points. From the administration standpoint it embraces:

1. Tax reduction.
2. Appropriation bills totalling more than \$3,000,000,000.
3. American entrance into the World Court.
4. Ratification of the war debt agreements with Italy, Belgium and some smaller nations.
5. Some measure of agricultural relief through promotion of cooperative marketing.
6. Some legislative changes to cure dissatisfaction on the part of the firing officers.
7. Some railroad legislation to permit consolidations under supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

President's Message.

President Coolidge will present his message to congress, outlining the administration's desires, on Tuesday or Wednesday. The budget will be presented at the same time.

The house, with a new speaker "Nick" Longworth, and a new Republican leader, Tamm, of Connecticut, will start immediately on the tax bill. Its leaders hope to have it "out of the trenches by Christmas."

Little Work For Senate.

The senate will have comparatively little to do until December 17, when it plunges headlong into the fight over American entrance to the World Court.

The better part of this week will be devoted to organizing and settling. There are some 25 "baby members" of the house, including three women, and 14 new members of the senate.

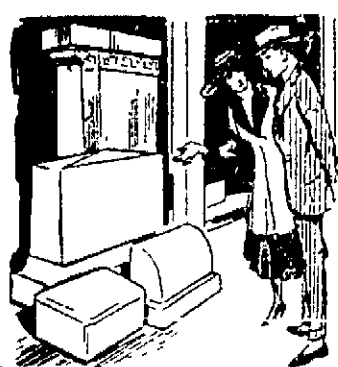
OFFICERS OF AUXILIARY OF UNION ROSE.

At the regular meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary of Union Rose Company, held Thursday, December 3, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. Leonard Kamm; vice president, Mrs. L. Keating; secretary, Mrs. Mary McGowan; treasurer, Mrs. William Keating.

School Record Cards.

The report cards were issued Friday in the Kingston High School and the grade schools. Parents are asked to look them over and return them promptly.

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is drawn from every leaf of
"SALADA"
TEA
It is the most delicious tea you
can buy. Try it & be convinced.



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Both Stores Open Evenings Till Christmas.

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TWO STORES

40 John St. 569 Br'dway

KINGSTON, N. Y.

Statistics of State Finances

Washington, Dec. 7.—The Department of Commerce announces a summary of the financial statistics of the state of New York for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1924.

Expenditures.

The payments for maintenance and operation of the general departments of New York for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1924, amounted to \$120,001,829, or \$111.00 per capita. This includes \$33,812,653, apportionments for education to the minor civil divisions of the state, and also \$3,347,153, payments as bonus to World War veterans. In 1923 the comparative per capita for maintenance and operation of general departments was \$10.03, and in 1913, \$5.51. The interest on debt amounted to \$10,904,605 and outlays for permanent improvements, \$21,247,364. The total payments, therefore, for expenses of general departments, interest, and outlays were \$162,156,788. The totals include all payments for the year, whether made from current revenues or from the proceeds of bond issues. Of the governmental costs reported above, \$12,551,110 was for highways, \$19,551,417 being for maintenance and \$22,939,633 for construction.

Revenues.

The total revenue receipts of New York for 1924 were \$162,127,185, or \$148.86 per capita. This was \$31,217,751 more than the total payments of the year, exclusive of the payments for permanent improvements, but \$29,613 less than the total payments including those for permanent improvements. These payments in excess of revenue receipts were met from the proceeds of debt obligations. Property and special taxes represented 54.0 per cent of the total revenue for 1924, 56.9 per cent for 1923, and 50.0 per cent for 1918. The increase in the amount of property and special taxes collected was 100.8 per cent from 1918 to 1923, and 6.8 per cent from 1923 to 1924. The per capita property and special taxes were \$8.02 in 1924, \$7.60 in 1923, and \$1.03 in 1918.

Earnings of general departments, or compensation for services rendered by state officials, represented 3.7 per cent of the total revenue for 1924, 4.8 per cent for 1923, and 5.1 per cent for 1918.

Business and nonbusiness licenses constituted 32.1 per cent of the total revenue for 1924, 28.1 per cent for 1923, and 38.4 per cent for 1918. Receipts from business licenses consist chiefly of taxes exacted from insurance and other incorporated companies, while those from nonbusiness licenses comprise chiefly taxes on motor vehicles and amounts paid for hunting and fishing privileges.

Indebtedness.

The net indebtedness (funded and floating debt less sinking fund assets) of New York on June 30, 1924, was \$222,372,488, or \$20.38 per capita. In 1923 the per capita debt was \$16.87, and in 1913, \$17.91. The increase in the net debt reported for 1924 is due to a bond issue of \$45,000,000 for World War bonus.

Assessed Valuations and Tax Levies. For 1924 the assessed valuation of property in New York subject to ad valorem taxation was \$16,233,729,387; the amount of state taxes levied was \$34,331,714; and the per capita levy, \$3.15.

Experience of Dollar Bill

The Chicago chamber of commerce recently carried out an interesting experiment in order to trace what happened to a dollar bill within the short space of 14 days. It put into circulation a new bill, with a circular attached asking every person into whose hand it came to make a note of the use he had made of it. By the end of the fortnight it had been spent 33 times—five times in payment of salaries or wages, five times for tobacco, five times for cigarettes, three times for meals, three times for candy, twice for shaves, twice for "men's furnishings," and once for collar buttons, automobile accessories, bacon, washing powder, garters, and tooth paste respectively.

Use Salt Sparingly

Did you use 120 pounds of salt last year? If not you did not get your share, for according to the United States bureau of mines, there were 6,803,115 short tons of this necessary substance used or sold by producers in the United States in 1924. Even then Americans used salt more sparingly, for in the year before the allowance per person was about 127 pounds. Over a third of all this salt is in the form of brine and the rest is evaporated and rock salt. New York, Michigan and Ohio produce nearly four-fifths of all the salt in the United States, and Kansas, Louisiana and California practically all the rest.

Substantial Backing

The lion was telling the assembly in the smoking room how he had made his money. "When I started in business," he said, pompously, "I resolved that my motto should be 'Get thee behind me, Satan.'"

Fear

Fear is a driving force in human conduct. It makes us do things; it keeps us from doing them. It protects from danger, and without a reasonable amount of fear mankind could not live. It is useless to talk about eradicating fear, but in training the child every effort should be made to see that fear does not become a curse instead of a means of protection.



"Were you excited on your wedding day?"
"Excited? Say, I gave my bride ten dollars and tried to kiss the preacher."

Extra: Extra!

Woman killed while cooking her husband's breakfast, in a horrible manner!—From State Daily.

Kansas City enacted 2,000 local laws last year. Anything to help the back-to-the-farm movement.

Real Estate Agent: I don't see why you hesitate. This tobacco plantation is a bargain at any price. Budding Financier: I was just deciding whether I would grow cigars or cigarettes.

A housewife was asked recently why she didn't subscribe for a daily paper. The questioner received a shock when she answered airily, "Oh, we hear enough."

Customer: "Say, Conductor, at which end of the car can I get off?"
Conductor: "Either end, you say, both ends stop."

Mary had a little lamb.
(The plot begins to thicken)
She sold it to a restaurant
And now they call it chicken.

Every time a movie star starts for Paris now her husband has to file an affidavit that their marital relations are perfectly friendly.

All Peaches.

Grocer: "This is the best brand of peaches on the market—your husband will like them."
Wife: "The peaches my husband likes are not in cans."
Grocer: "What are they in?"
Wife: "Bathing suits."

An optimist is a man who thinks the world owes him a living and gets married on it.

First try your hand at something, and if you fail, try both hands. Then if unsuccessful, try using your head.

Yes, we think it is all right to make them read the Bible in school, otherwise some would never read it.

Dear Pop: Please come home; mother is drunk and there is no one here to milk the cow.—From Western Weekly.

He Stuck To It.

Robert Fulton years ago said he'd make the steamboat go. And stuck to it.

Robert's friends began to jolly. Called the steamboat Fulton's Folly. But the darn thing went, by golly. He stuck to it.

Did you ever stop to think that a fortune awaits the man who invents an adjustable engagement ring?

When you see a tree torn down these days you never know if it was lightning or an auto.

The bathing beach beauty seldom fails to find her place in the sun.

"May I offer you some refreshment?"
"Yes, you might give me a few moments to myself."

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East Indians Protect and Feed Wild Animals

A visitor walking along the dirty, dusty streets of Ahmadabad, India, a city which has 250,000 inhabitants, is often surprised at the number and size of the feeding places for birds. Some of these are built of marble and cost several thousand dollars. Sometimes there is a simple feeding platform supported by a single column. The platforms, which are from 12 to 20 feet above the street level, are reached by little stairways.

The wild birds come fearlessly to these feeding places and mingle with the pigeons and English sparrows. The feed is spread out on the floor and covered with a well-constructed roof which protects the birds from the fierce heat of the sun and also from the rain.

The Jains are the wealthier class of Indians. In their temples boxes are provided into which the worshippers drop coins for the purchase of bird feed. For the Jains, in common with all Hindus, do not believe in taking animal life.—Boys' Life.

A New Pirate

"Ha, ha!" exclaimed Black, as he encountered his friend White in the street the other day. "I say, you are a one!"

"A one? What do you mean?" asked the other in a puzzled tone.
"I saw you the other night," went on his friend. "You were round in the park, walking arm-in-arm with Miss Lightfoot."

"Oh, did you see me?"
"Yes, when I was in bed."
"Don't be a fool!" said White. "I can't stand the girl, really. She was far too much makeup to suit my taste."

"Yes, she'd be quite a nice girl if she'd give up piracy."
"Piracy?" exclaimed the other.
"What do you mean?"
"Why, trying to make captures under false colors!"—Philadelphia Inquirer.

You'll Be More Popular

After all it is better to have one's nose at the grindstone than sticking into other people's business.—Boston Transcript.

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Reading the advertisements lets you in on the inside. You can read them—study them—compare values—make your decision—before even you enter a store. You know what you want—what is safe and wise to buy. You don't have to take a chance on an unknown product.

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McCulloughs in A Battle Over Klondike Riot

Constable Michael and Deputy Charles Fight Over Sending In Alarm For Help—Riot Ends With Peace Officers Badly Injured.

Sunday night a call was sent to the sheriff's office stating that there was a riot going on in front of the Klondike Hotel at East Kingston. Deputy Sheriff Edward Caynor of Kingston and Deputy Sheriff John Halwick of the town of Ulster responded. When the officials arrived they found a crowd of men of numerous colors and nationalities congregated in front of the Klondike. The mob had been drinking something stronger than water and was in an ugly mood but at the arrival of the officers many of them disappeared in convenient doorways. Those who could not get away under their own power were assisted by comrades who were more fortunate and better able to navigate.

What the trouble started over was not learned except that it was a "pay-day" celebration. When the mob first started to stage a free for all, Deputy Sheriff Charles McCullough attempted to break it up but failed. When the mob became more threatening he telephoned to the sheriff for help. This caused trouble from another source. Constable Michael McCullough resented the sending in of an alarm for the sheriff and it is said struck Charles McCullough with a convenient instrument which inflicted a deep cut on young McCullough who retaliated by striking the constable over the head with a club, also inflicting injuries.

When the deputies arrived from the sheriff's office and succeeded in clearing up the situation it was found both the McCulloughs were quite badly injured. However they did not wish to make a complaint against each other so no arrests were made.

During the mix up and near riot before the arrival of the sheriff's men bricks were hurled and blows struck and someone in the mob fired a gun. The timely arrival of reinforcements undoubtedly prevented serious injury for the participants were in an ugly mood, looking for trouble.

WILL EXAMINE GARGANA BEFORE SENTENCE

County court convened at the court house this morning at 11 o'clock at which time District Attorney Traver moved the judgment in the case of The People against Salvatore Gargana who was found guilty of sodomy in county court last week. Judge Fowler stated that he was not ready to sentence defendant until an examination had been held to determine what disposition should be made of the case to meet the particular need of the case. The court suggested that Dr. Palmer from the Napanoch Institution for Defective Delinquents, examine the prisoner so that the proper institution to which he should be sent could be determined. He wanted to give the boy, who is 22 years old, every advantage he could.

The examination will be held at the court house. Tuesday at 2:30 o'clock; at which time the defendant may have his physician present. Court went into recess until Wednesday at 1:30 o'clock when sentence will be imposed.

TWO HAVESTRAW BOYS LEFT HOME SEEKING FORTUNE

Sunday two boys, James Ryan, 15 years old, and Charles Williams, 14 years old, were taken from a West Shore train by West Shore Detective Roosa who charged them with juvenile delinquency. The boys had air rifles in their possession. The guns had been taken apart and were wrapped in newspapers. They were placed in the care of the Salvation Army for the night and will later be arraigned in Children's Court. They had left home in Havestraw to seek their fortune, but only got as far as this city.

Celebrate Opening of Store.

Terwilliger Brothers, hardware dealers of Kerhonkson, will celebrate the opening of their new store on Wednesday, December 9. Dancing will be enjoyed, music being supplied by a good orchestra.

Hit Horse And Rig.

Charles Habel of 89 Broadway reported to the police this morning that his car had struck a horse and rig on East Strand near the gas house. The owner of the rig was not ascertained.

Orchard Pruning Demonstrations

Farm Bureau committeemen in the fruit communities have made arrangements through their organization to hold seven orchard pruning demonstration in charge of Professor G. W. Peck, of Cornell University. Professor Peck is a leading authority on the subject of pruning, cover crops, fertilization and other orchard management problems. He will demonstrate the improved methods of pruning on apples, and peaches and will discuss other problems on request.

Demonstrations will be held as follows:

W. P. Kieffer's, at Flatbush, Tuesday, December 8, at 9:30 a. m.

John Herring's at Ulster Park, Tuesday, December 8, at 1:30 p. m.

DeWitt Crowell's at Wallkill, Wednesday, December 9, at 9:30 a. m.

John Minard's at Plattekill, Wednesday, December 9, at 1:30 p. m.

Frank Gaffney's at Clintondale, Thursday, December 10, at 9:30 a. m.

A. J. Pratt's at Highland, Thursday, December 10, at 1:30 p. m.

W. R. Cubbard's at Milton, Friday, December 11, at 9:30 a. m.

W. P. Kieffer's farm is six miles from Kingston on the Kingston-Flatbush state road.

John Herring's farm is on the Ulster Park-St. Remy cross road, about midway.

DeWitt Crowell lives on the Hoagaberg road, one mile west of Wallkill. The demonstration will cover both apples and peaches.

John Minard lives on the Plattekill-Ardonia road, 1½ miles from Plattekill. This demonstration will be on both young and old apple trees, peaches and pears, if requested.

Frank Gaffney lives two miles east of Clintondale, one-half mile off the state road on the road to Tucker's Corners. Both young and old trees will be used.

A. J. Pratt's farm is located one mile east of New Paltz on Highland-New Paltz state road, and one mile north of Putt Corner road. Watch for the sign "Demonstration." The demonstration will be on young and old apple and peach trees.

W. R. Cubbard lives one-half mile south of Milton. This demonstration will be on young apple trees. Old apple trees and peach trees will be used if requested.

All Farm Bureau members and friends are invited to be present at the meetings.

American Tobacco President Dead

New York, Dec. 7.—Percival S. Hill, president of the American Tobacco Company, died suddenly at his home here today. He was stricken suddenly yesterday with an attack of heart weakness and acute indigestion.

Hill was born in Philadelphia in 1862 and entered business as a jobber in cotton and woolen goods. He has been president of the American Tobacco Company since 1912 and at the time of his death was chairman of the board of the American Cigar Company, Havana Tobacco Company and a director in numerous American and Havana enterprises.

WINTER CONCERT SERIES AT SAHLER SANITARIUM

The concert to be given at the Dr. C. O. Sahler Sanitarium Tuesday evening, December 8, at 7:30 o'clock promises to be a most interesting one and the public are cordially invited to come and bring their friends to an evening of delightful entertainment. This is the first of a series of concerts to be held at the sanitarium during the winter, under the direction of the Misses Schmidt-Konz. Each program will have a change in the artists and their selections, and the date will be announced early in advance of the evening they are to be given.

Moore Drops Dead.

Youngstown, Ohio, Dec. 7.—Succumbing to an attack of acute indigestion, Edmund H. Moore, Democratic national committeeman from Ohio, and a widely known lawyer, dropped dead here late last night.

First Royal Astronomer

John Flamsteed, famous astronomer, was the first royal astronomer of England. He was appointed to that office March 4, 1675. He was a bitter enemy of Newton, because Newton tried to give him necessary advice.

Even In the Rain Saturday— All R-G-R Records for Xmas Selling Were Broken! At the Real Christmas Store of Kingston

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Maine Fiddler Off for Detroit

Champion Maine Fiddler and Wife Leave for Detroit Following Great Celebration in the Annals of Norway.

Norway, Maine, Dec. 7.—A jazz-mad world paused for a moment today in its reckless whirl and turned back the pages of memory to the earlier American days of simple things and homely manners.

Wails of the saxophone, producing "She's My Baby" gave way to the bow of the old fashioned fiddle singing the merry "Money Musk." Sophisticated dancers, poised on tiptoe of the dizz, Charleston, stopped to watch the boys and girls of long ago on the old bare floor "balance to partners."

And all because "Mellie" Dunham, champion Maine fiddler and snowshoe maker and his good wife left their

snug farmhouse here for Dearborn, Mich., where the humble little white haired musician of the old school will draw his bow for Henry Ford, richest man in the world.

Mr. Ford is paying all expenses of the trip but if he asks "Mellie" the fee it will be \$3, the regular out-of-town playing rate.

A parade, music, closing of schools and stores, speeches, flag flying and the presence of Governor Ralph O. Brewster and staff for the send-off of the elderly man and his devoted wife—and the Babbitts of hustling Norway and South Paris were very busy.

But in the triumph of the 72-year-old fiddler was seen a tribute to the wholesome things of life.

And a tribute, too, to the maker of automobiles for millions, who finds pleasure in the strains evoked by the bow and strings of the obscure Maine farmer's old time musical instrument.

However, the fashion of modern woman crept into the picture—for Mrs. Emma Dunham, 67 years old, went and had her hair cut to a snappy city bob.

The Dunhams were up with the

dawn today. It's a long journey to Detroit, even if you have a Pullman at your disposal, and the aged farmer and his "better half" have never been outside the state but once in their long span of years and that was a brief trip to Boston. The weather was fair and cold.

"Mellie" did a few farm chores, being particular to see that his horse and cow had fodder and water. Mrs. Dunham prepared the breakfast by the rays of a kerosene lamp.

Next the old folks said goodbye to their nine grandchildren, sons and daughters of their only girl, who is dead and pride of their declining years.

Dressed in their Sunday best, the meeting best, Mr. and Mrs. Dunham were finally ready for the trek to the middle-west stopping at Montpelier for a banquet by the Canadian Snowshoe Club. They carried just one grip for their joint belongings.

The pine tree state has given the world such musicians as Nordica and Emma James, hustling Norway, meet for summer visitors, has produced such favorite sons as Harold Hamlin, vice-president under

Abraham Lincoln and others. But today was a banner day in the life of Maine's champion fiddler, in the annals of Norway and in the history of Maine.

St. John's Auxiliary Meeting.

At the regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of St. John's Church to be held at the parish house Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, all women having "birthday bags" are asked to be sure and bring or send them in.

New Notaries Public.

The following have been appointed notaries public in and for the county of Ulster by Governor Alfred E. Smith: Lester Gray Clark, Tillson; Charles B. Everett, 15 Delta Place; and Charles A. Van Etten, 43 Derrenbacher street, Kingston.

Machinery For Pine Hill.

Harry France of Pine Hill who has a large wood lot has recently purchased a Kingstonian wood sawing outfit from the Canfield Supply Company.

RONDOUT MANNERCHOR ELECTS OFFICERS.

The Rondout Social Mannerchor hold its annual meeting Sunday evening at their hall, corner of Strand and Hasbrouck avenue. The following officers were elected: President, Charles Corran, vice-president, Albert Kreitz; recording secretary, Cornelius Trunk; financial secretary, F. Sudheimer; treasurer, Fred Scholt; trustee, Louis Muller. It was decided to hold a public dance on New Year's evening at the hall. During the evening refreshments were served.

P. T. A. School No. 2.

The regular meeting of the Parent-Teacher Association of School No. 2 will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3:30. Mrs. O'Leary, physical director in the grades, will give a talk on "Making the Health Program in Our Schools Work." A special request is made for the mothers to come at 3:15 as business of importance will be attended to at that time.

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rise out of individual exertions. The
very faults of an individual excite at-
tention; he loses, but his cause (if
good and powerful) gains. This is the
way of things. We promote truth by
self-sacrifice.—Bishop Newman.

Hermit Thrush Gets Honor
The nightingale has been rated the
finest singer among birds, but the
hermit thrush has found friends in
Whitefield, N. H., in which section of
New England the bird lives. It is
said there is nothing in the sweet-
ness of the nightingale to compare
with the quality in the hermit
thrush's singing.

Democrats Voted For John J. Burns

Washington, Dec. 7.—Edwin P. Thayer, of Indianapolis, was elected secretary of the senate today. He took office at once.
The Democrats voted for John J. Burns of Monticello, N. Y.

Mr. Burns is well known in King-
ston, where he holds hearings every
two weeks as referee in workmen's
claims for compensation under the
employers' liability act.
He was Democratic candidate for
congressman in this district several
years ago and was defeated by
Charles B. Ward.

Bird's Mother Love

Example of Heroism

The boy who "stood on the burning
deck, whence all but he had fled," has
won the immortality of a well-known
poem, but probably a certain skylark
will not find her poet, although she
certainly deserves one.

While beating out a field fire at Fel-
ham, in Middlesex, firemen noticed a
skylark sitting on her nest on the
ground, in the direct path of the
flames. The bird continued to sit on
her eggs with dense smoke rolling
round her, and even when the flames
caught the grass of which the nest
was constructed she did not stir until
the firemen were close upon her.

So struck were the men with the
bird's heroism and devotion that they
determined to save her home at all
costs. They set about isolating the
nest, and were so successful that, al-
though the fire spread all around, the
nest was scarcely damaged and the
eggs remained intact.—London Tit-
Bits.

Grief in Animals

A man or woman who loses some
dear one is overcome with deep sor-
row, remembering only the admirable
qualities of the lost one, but this feel-
ing is soon softened by a multitude of
external impressions and influences,
so that sorrow gives way to melan-
choly, which in its turn diminishes.

Not so in the case of many animals.
These not only retain their grief much
longer, but there are cases in which
it lasts as long as life itself.
The cat will swim after her kittens
which some cruel man is trying to
drown. The story of the dog who
starves to death on the grave of his
master is no fable. A stone in the
Paris dogs' cemetery is thus inscribed:
"He was so intelligent that he might
have been taken for a human being—
but that he was faithful."—Das Neue
Ullstein Magazin, Berlin.

Lighting Scheme

Speaking of modern conveniences
and innovations, somebody who helped
design the new infants' ward at the
Children's hospital, St. Antoine and
Farnsworth streets, used his or her
imagination. About knee-high above
the floor are recesses or slots in the
walls fitted with lights. When a nurse
enters during the night to tuck the
babies in, she doesn't have to turn on
the overhead lights and run the
chance of waking the tiny patients
up. The low wall-lights furnish her
enough illumination to do her work
without disturbing the babies. Out-of-
town visitors have commented more
on this little arrangement than on
more important features of this great
institution.—Detroit Free Press

PRIZE WINNERS.
Frederick C. Winters, 231 Clinton
avenue, wishes to announce the win-
ners of the Gold prizes as adver-
tised in last week's Freeman: First
prize of \$10, Miss Dolores V. Cree-
den of Rosendale. Second prize,
\$5, Walter Van Steenberg, 91
Downs street. Third prize, \$5, Cath-
arine Conlin, 198 Ten Broeck ave-
nue. Fourth prize, \$5, Arthur Bud-
denhagen, 53 Montrose avenue.
Judges, Mr. Gorman, of Rose-Gor-
man-Rose; Mr. Frank Forman of
Up-to-Date Company; Mr. B. Bishop
of Standard Oil Company; Mr. Fred-
erick C. Winters. The winning ad-
vertisements will be published later.
—Advertisement.

In the JUNGLE

With Cheerups and the Quixies
by Grace Bliss Stewart

BRIGHTYES' MISTAKE

"OH, QUICK! come quick, Boys,"
cried Brightyes one day, as he
sat on his spider web, resting during
the heat of noontime. "Hurry, hurry!"
Up panted Quickear, Softfoot and
Sniff-sniff as fast as they could and
gathered around their playmate to see
what the fun was.

"Look, look," whispered Brightyes,
"right over there; don't you see? His
coat is all white with black stripes;
maybe he is just out of prison."

"Well, for my part, I can't see a
thing," grumbled Quickear; "but I
can hear a most peculiar noise. It
sounds harsh and rasping, like some



"Look, Look," whispered Brightyes,
"Right Over There."

one sawing wood back home on the
steep mountain side."

"I don't see anything nor do I hear
anything," piped Softfoot and Sniff-
sniff in chorus. "What's the joke any-
way, Brightyes?"

"Can't you be a little quieter,
Boys?" said Cheerups, looking out of
his house. "Dear, dear, I just
thought I would have a wink or two
while Mr. Sun was doing his worst.
But, bless me, who is that?" as a
plump little white horse all covered
with black stripes came cantering up.

"How do you do, how do you do?"
neighed the little horse in the same
rasping tones which Quickear had
heard. "I'm Zippy Zebra, and I've
come a long way. I can tell you I
took a lot of courage to do it, too. All
the family advised me not to come,
said it was dangerous to get far from
home and all that sort of thing, but

Mrs. Ostrich and the Nervous Gau
said they knew you well and not to
miss calling. They hinted that you
might be gone if I didn't hurry, so
here I am. Mrs. Ostrich and Mr. Gau
are my very good friends, you know.
We pal around together a lot on the
Great Plain, and I have every confi-
dence in their judgment." Zippy
Zebra stopped to catch his breath.

"Well, well," said Cheerups, now
thoroughly awake, "I am delighted to
see anyone who knows Mrs. Ostrich
and Mr. Gau. We have so many
friends now that we begin to feel very
much at home in Africa. We are not
thinking of leaving for a long time yet.
But I should like to explore a little;
an excursion to the mountains or a
week-end on the Broad Plain, per-
haps."

"Oh, sir, that would be splendid!
I'm sure you would have a warm wel-
come everywhere, except perhaps in
the mountains. You see, we Zebras
are a shy lot. My branch of the fam-
ily lives on the Broad Plain and is
more used to society, but my cousins,
the Mountain Zebras, who live up
in the hills, just don't care for
company at all. I say they carry
it too far, but everyone to his
taste, of course. Why, they even
post sentinels on the highest crags to
warn the herd when anyone is com-
ing, so they can all scamper away.
That's not very hospitable, it seems to
me. And they are so pretty, too, you'd
think they would be proud to show off
a bit. They haven't plain white legs
like mine, but are striped all over, way
down to their hoofs."

"Thanks for the hint, Zippy. We'll
try not to intrude on your shy cou-
sins," laughed Cheerups. "But I should
think all those black stripes would
make you very easily seen, even at
night."

"Oh, no, sir; it's just the other way,"
brayed Zippy with a proud ring in his
voice. "They help to hide us in the
daytime, but at night we are almost
invisible. It's on account of the stripes
that we are so inconspicuous—inconspic-
uous," perhaps," added
Cheerups.

"Yes, that's it, sir, the very word!
I'm not good at big ones," replied
Zippy, feeling a little embarrassed.
"Now I've made quite a long call for
the first one. They told me at home
not to stay till you were tired, because
I do love to talk. Come and see us
some time; good-by, everybody," and
Zippy Zebra trotted away with a part-
ing whisk of his little tail.

"Well," gasped Brightyes, "I guess
I was mistaken that time!"
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THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

THE EXTRA PLATE

IF AN extra plate be accidentally
placed on the table when it is be-
ing set for a meal it is a sign that
some visitor is coming hungry. This
is a superstition found in various sec-
tions of the country; the American
Folk-Lore society specified Ohio as one
of its habitats. It is, of course, based
upon the idea of the ancients that
what was connected in thought must
be connected in fact, which idea pre-
duced the theory of that sympathetic
magic which, from primitive times, has
such a strong hold upon the mind
of our ancestors. They were dilige-
nt seekers after the relation of cause and
effect. Every result had a cause,
therefore, every cause, every act, must
have an effect. What would be the
natural effect of placing an extra
plate upon the table? Why, the effect
produced, or signified, by the associa-
tion of ideas, which would be that
of someone coming hungry. Only ad-
mit, as did the ancients, that what is
connected in thought is connected in
fact and the rest is easy—the se-
quence events clearly marked out.
It should be noted, too, that in this
system of reasoning to avoid the cause
was to avoid the effect. Most of the
"don'ts" in modern superstitions are
based upon this point. Avoid the
omen and you avoid what the omen
portends. Therefore, if you have
barely enough for your own dinner,
be careful not to place an extra plate
on the table, and then if a hungry
visitor should drop in it will be by
pure accident and not owing to your
own carelessness.
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Advertisement.

"What's in a Name?"

By MILDRED MARSHALL

Facts about your name; its history;
meaning; whence it was derived; sig-
nificance, your lucky day, lucky jewel

BETSEY

THE quaint and charming name of
"Betsey," so endeared to American
history, had its source far back in
early times when the Muscovite prin-
cess Elizabeth, the daughter of Jaros-
law, was the object of the romantic
love of the great poet and sea king,
Harald Hardrada of Norway, who sang
nineteen songs of his own composition
in her praise on his way from Con-
stantinople and won her hand by his
feats of prowess.

Her name, which means "God's
gift," appears in many romantic tales
and Danish ballads and finally spread,
a numerous variations, throughout
Europe by way of Germany. Elizabeths,
Isabels, Elizas and Elsbets were the
most popular names in Europe—and
still have tremendous vogue, for that
matter—but Betsey is typically English
and latter-day American.

Many famous women have borne the
name in this country. Betsey Ross,
whose skillful fingers fashioned the first
American flag, is a heroine of history.
A no less authentic, but more extraor-
dinarily romantic character, was the
beautiful Betsey Patterson, who cap-
tured the love of Jerome Bonaparte,
brother of the great emperor, and suf-
fered a broken heart.

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CLINTON INDEPENDENTS TROUNCED TRINITY 39 TO 4

Facing a well developed five-man
defense that looked as big as a
mountain on the "Y" court in the
opening game of the Senior Church
League, Saturday evening, the
Trinity outfit found little opportunity
to score, making four markers while
the Clinton Independents were glean-
ing 39 points. A. Chipp and E.
Greenwell began dropping them in
early and when the final whistle
blew, had massed 15 and 14 points,
respectively. Johnson was the only
Trinity man able to get past the
Clinton defense, his double being his
team's only two pointer.

The score:

	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Niles, rf.	3	0	6
Greenwell, lf.	7	0	14
Chipp, c.	5	5	15
A. Chipp, rg.	1	0	2
Boyce, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	17	5	39

Trinity.

	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Thompson, rf.	0	0	0
Johnson, lf.	1	0	2
Shultis, c.	0	0	0
McKeown, rg.	0	1	1
Wilkins, lg.	0	1	1
Totals	1	1	4

Score at half-time: Independents,
14; Trinity, 3. Fouls committed:
Independents, 2; Trinity, 10. Ref-
eree: Craw. Timekeeper: Bailey.
Times of halves: 16 minutes.

CLINTON JUNIORS BEAT PRESBYTERIAN QUINTEZ

In the only game played in the
Junior division of the Church League
on the "Y" court, Saturday night the
Clinton Juniors received their first
score of the season although finally
winning from the Presbyterians by a
17-11 score. The Clinton Juniors
were in the rear of their opponents
by one point at half time. In the
latter half coach Chipp rearranged
his attack and consequently took the
lead by a six point margin. Red
Chipp was the big scorer for the
Clinton with eight points while
Schreiber and W. Graeme featured
in the defensive tactics.

The score:

	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Greenwell, rf.	1	0	2
R. Graeme, lf. lg.	1	1	3
W. Chipp, c.	4	0	8
Schreiber, lg. lf.	2	0	4
W. Graeme, rg.	0	0	0
Totals	8	1	17

Presbyterians.

	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Gaddis, rf.	2	0	4
Streeter, lf.	0	1	1
Andrew, c.	1	0	2
Shaffer, rg.	0	0	0

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Hunters Care Little for Gun's Fecocity

The gun, with the head of a horse,
the long, narrow face, the body of a
horse, an antelope's legs, an upstart-
ing mane and a flowing tail that
reaches to the ground, is indeed a fan-
tastic creature, writes Lillian Gish,
F. Z. S.

His terrible voice, his pose—every-
thing about him suggests ferocity.
But though savage in captivity, he is
extremely docile, with a great regard
for his own safety.

A herd of these guns on the veldt is
an amazing sight. Fringing and
wheeling, and tossing their heads, they
approach a strange object in single file,
forming themselves into a solid square

as they come near.
In this position they will stand for
hours, glaring at a tent set up on the
plains, as though ready to tear it to
pieces.

But this is a game of bluff. Let the
owner of the tent show himself with a
gun, and though they may gambol wild-
ly around him, uttering loud roars, it
will be in ever-widening circles.
The first shot sends them flying, and
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ish within a few seconds.

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State Milk Code To Be Revised

Public Health Council Appoints Committee to Make Recommendations Based on Available Data Now Being Studied.

Albany, Dec. 7.—Believing that the section of the state sanitary code relating to the sale of milk, enacted originally in 1914, is in some respects gradually being outgrown, the New York State Public Health Council has appointed a committee which will devote several months to a study of the problem, ultimately reporting to the Council its recommendations as to revision. The committee includes Henry N. Ogden, member of the Council and professor of sanitary engineering at Cornell University; Dr. Paul B. Brooks, deputy state health commissioner; Charles A. Holmquist, director of the division of sanitation of the state health department; J. D. Drew, professor of dairy industry of the Cornell College of Agriculture, and Stephen W. Bateson, superintendent of food inspection, Buffalo. The committee held its first meeting at Syracuse on December 2.

The present code, in many respects similar to that in effect in New York city, is generally conceded to be one of the existing state milk codes. It has been necessary to amend it from time to time during the decade since its enactment and the Council now feels that it can be improved and simplified.

Before making a report the committee will study available data, including other state and municipal codes, analyze results obtained in the enforcement of state and local milk regulations in several cities and villages and confer with public officials, dairymen and other experienced in various phases of milk production, distribution and control.

It will be the aim of Public Health Council and its special committee to formulate a state milk code which may be accepted as a model and which will not only afford a maximum of protection to public health but also be acceptable to milk producers. If the final revision involves radical changes from the present code—which is not anticipated—ample time will be allowed for readjustment before it goes into effect.

FREAK TREE CONTEST.

Elm Most Given to Abnormal Growth, According to Photographs.

Syracuse, N. Y., Dec. 7.—The prize contest for photographs of freak trees announced early last spring by the New York State College of Forestry, Syracuse University, closed December 1st. Prizes offered for the contest were as follows:

Five dollars for first, \$1 for second, \$3 for third, \$2 for fourth and four prizes of \$1 each.

The rules of the contest made eligible only trees of New York state although any citizen of the United States could submit a picture. More than one hundred photographs were received, representing the following species of trees: Hickory, beech, maple, elm, locust, poplar, birch, ash, cedar, spruce, sunnec and apple.

While practically all of our common forest trees evidently take on unusual shapes under favorable conditions the tree apparently most given to abnormal growth is the elm. There were four times as many photographs of freak elm trees submitted as any other species. Maple comes next with beech and birch following closely.

No section of the state seems to be particularly favored with freak trees. Nut trees and the softwood species according to the results of the contest are rarely affected. It would seem the hardwoods or broad leaf tree families take on malformations and curious twists and turns more generally than other classes of trees.

The contest will be decided by the judges before January 1st and a booklet will be issued by the college on freak trees, in which will be reproduced not only the winners but all other eligible photographs entered in the contest.

RESCUE HOOKS PREPARE FOR NEW YEAR'S EVE BALL.

At a meeting of the Rescue Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, held Friday evening, December 4, the report of the committee for the annual ball to be held at the White Eagle Hall on New Year's eve, was very encouraging.

In two weeks nearly 250 tickets have been disposed of, which is a good start.

The committee is working very hard to make this ball a big social success as well as a financial one, and nothing will be left undone to make it one of the most enjoyable affairs of the season.

The Colonial Serenaders will furnish music for dancing from 8 p. m. to 1 a. m., and anyone who wishes to watch the old year out and the new year in with the Hooks is assured of a good time.

ROBERT WILLIAMS'S RECITAL AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

The second in the series of Advent organ recitals by Robert Williams will be given in St. John's Church Tuesday at 12:10. These recitals are free to the public, and a cordial invitation is extended to all music lovers in this city and people from out of town who may be in the city over the noon hour. The recitals begin promptly at the hour named, and last just twenty-five minutes. Those who cannot stay for the entire program may feel free to leave at any time, but it is suggested that they leave between numbers. The program for Tuesday follows:

Grand Couer in F. —Salome Elizabeth's Prayer (Thannhauser). —Wagner

Adagio in B Flat —Wagner

Minuet and Trio in E Minor. —Calkin

ASHOKAN.

Ashokan, Dec. 7.—The Adult Bible Class will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bedell at Shokan on Wednesday night, December 9, at 7:30.

The M. E. Ladies' Aid Society met at the home of Mrs. Fred Gutnach on Thursday, December 3, and enjoyed a social time and a bountiful dinner, followed by the regular business meeting. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. K. Krot.

A number from this place attended the evangelistic services held in Glenford Church on Thursday night and heard their former pastor, the Rev. G. O. Wiley, preach. On Friday evening sixteen people, old and young, confessed their faith.

Mrs. K. M. Reynolds spent Wednesday with Miss May Bogart and mother.

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SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, Dec. 7.—Raymond El-

mondorf of Schenectady spent the week end with his parents on Jane street. Thelma Burnett of Kingston spent the week end with her parents on Elm street.

Miss Frances Keenan of Livingston street has accepted a position in the office of the Montgomery Washburn Company.

The Saugerties-Cementon road will open on both sides the early part of this week.

Joseph Robinson who conducts a paint and paper store on Partition street has taken charge of the new Standard Oil Company's service station on Main street. Eugene DuBois will be the salesman.

An everymember canvass of the Congregational Church was taken Sunday.

Miss Mary Curley of Albany spent Sunday at her home on Partition street.

Martin Cantine who has been suffering with erysipelas at his home on Main street is recovering. Sidney Robinson and Roy Mackley of this village motored to New York city last Wednesday.

A number of the stores are trimming their windows for the Christmas holidays.

William Kjaener of Schenectady is spending some time in this village. Leslie Mower of Malden has purchased the Ford ice trucks of the Little Sawyer Ice Company.

Winnie Brothers have sold a Freshman radio to Steve Salisbury and Floyd Lewis of this village.

Mrs. Oren and daughter of Partition street have returned from a visit to New York city.

Tom Keeley of Ossining spent Sunday at his home on Jane street. Mr. Kelly is a guard at the state prison.

Raymond Johnson of New York city spent Friday with his parents on South Partition street.

George Longfelt, formerly of Saugerties, was in town on business Saturday.

Miss Eckertine of Poughkeepsie spent the weekend at her home on Jane street.

Mrs. Nathan Van Steenburg of Main street has returned from a visit at Teaneck, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bertine have returned to their home in New York city after a two weeks' visit with his sisters on Ulster avenue.

On Wednesday evening the nomination and election of officers will be held in Ulster Lodge, No. 193, F. and A. M. A large attendance is desired to be present at this meeting.

Miss Louise Snyder of New Paltz spent the week end with her parents on Partition street.

An entertainment will be given in the Methodist church on Washington avenue Wednesday evening and a small admission will be charged.

Anthony Schwab of Ulster avenue has resigned his position with Clifford Van Etten and has gone into the trucking business for himself.

The sum of \$13.50 was realized by Mrs. C. L. Mulford who disposed of a pig for the Old Ladies' Home.

Miss Maud Mulford of Washington avenue has an infection of the knee. Miss Faith Hommel has returned to New Hamburg after a visit with her mother on Partition street.

Mrs. John Flick of Union Hill, N. J., is visiting her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. Genio Gutchius on Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Van Buskirk of Jane street motored to New Jersey on Sunday.

Mr. Oren and son of Partition street spent Sunday with his brother in Catskill.

George Schroeder is gaining nicely at the Benedictine Hospital at Kingston.

Miss Anna Felton who has been ill with congestion of the lungs at her home on Montgomery street is gaining under the care of Dr. Childster.

The First National Bank of Saugerties started their Christmas fund for the year 1926 today. This is the first year for this bank to have a fund for this purpose.

A very interesting stereopticon lecture entitled "Our unfinished task in the Rockies," was given on Sunday evening at the Congregational Church.

Harry Lowe of Prospect street has purchased a Crossley radio of Dwight Van Buskirk, the local agent.

Mrs. Molonneaux of Ulster avenue, who had the misfortune to lose a diamond ring on November 23 while attending the supper being held in the Congregational Church, has recovered it. The ring was found last week by a young boy named Henry Genthner, who was attending a meeting in the church and returned the property to the owner.

Andrew J. Cook of Kingston attended the village trustees' meeting here Friday evening in the interest of the Ferraro Albany-Kingston bus line.

Mr. and Mrs. William Webster of Market street and Mrs. Edward Klemm and daughter of John street were in Poughkeepsie on Saturday.

Henry Fuller of Glasco has purchased a new Buick coupe.

The Parent-Teacher Association received \$129 on the movie benefit which was held at the Orpheum Theatre recently.

A number of members of Eastern Star and Ulster Lodge of Masons, attended the Sunday evening service of the Atoneement Lutheran Church on Market street. The Rev. Mr. Hersh gave an interesting talk on the "Three Mighty Pillars."

The Saugerties Savings Bank has been granted permission to erect an electric sign in front of the bank on Main street.

At the last regular meeting of the board of trustees of this village an exempt fireman's certificate was granted to Edgar Mackley of the T. B. Cornwall Home Company and certificates of membership were granted to Leslie Van Loan, Dudley Blandow, Charles Elio, Thomas O'Dea and William Thornton in the R. A. Saugerties Home Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Kamp of John street motored to High Woods on Sunday where they visited Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Vail and family.

Five steam shovels are at work on the Saugerties-Palmville highway grading and preparing the laying of the concrete road.

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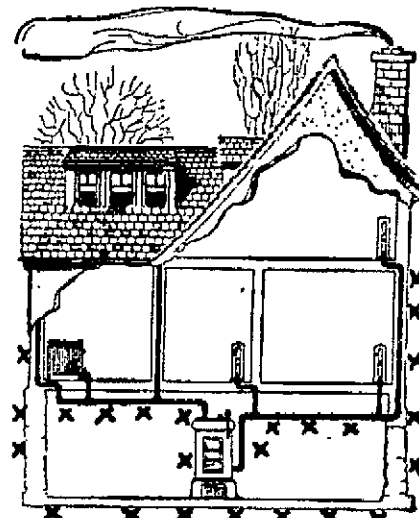
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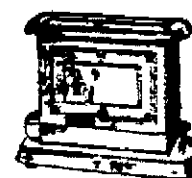
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Colorful Frocks for Bridesmaids

Brown, Bois de Rose, Blue, Among Favored Shades; Hats in Colors.

Picturesque elaboration is the keynote of the winter bridesmaid's costume and close conformance to the evening mode is invariable, says a Paris fashion correspondent in the New York Herald-Tribune. The day is long past when the bridesmaid's frock was impractical for any other occasion and today it is selected to serve later as a formal gown. Fortunately the ornamentation of the current mode permits luxury and embellishment in profusion, and the modern maid of honor and bridesmaids contribute a vivid background to the ancient ceremonial.

All sorts of colors and color schemes are featured. At one wedding the maid of honor wore a gown of deep brown chiffon with a painted skirt and a hand-painted girdle. Her picture hat, in the same color, had a felt crown and a large velvet brim. The bridesmaids wore the same costume, in a distinctly brighter shade and all carried armfuls of garden flowers.

At another ceremony the bride's attendants wore tulle frocks in different shades, accompanied in each instance by a matching georgette crepe cape and a picture hat of the same colored tulle.

A more colorful effect was achieved by a group of bridesmaids who were clad in frocks of bois de rose georgette embroidered with gold beads and having overskirts of gold net similarly embroidered. The large accompanying hats were of felt in the same shade of bois de rose trimmed with a large flower of the identical tint. Coats of blue georgette were worn by the bridesmaids while the maid of honor chose bois de rose, matching the gown, as the shade for her coat.

The vogue for pastel hues is also in evidence. Cream georgette crepe was the material worn by a smart group of bridesmaids at a recent wedding and the skirts were picturesquely outlined by orange and yellow flowers along the upper edges and chintilly lace at the hem. All were in the same color.

Varying shades of the pastel colors were also featured for the bridesmaid entourage at an exclusive wedding where they wore low-waisted frocks in many shades of chiffon, all different and running the gamut from maize to amber. Velvet hats accompanied each frock and each of these was in the same shade as the dress.

Colorful effects were uppermost in the mind of a smart French bride, who not only departed from the conventional by lining her bridal veil with flesh pink but who also used poudre blue, almost unrelieved, as the color for her maid of honor and bridesmaids. Each of the six attendants wore a molded bodice, full-skirted gown of poudre-blue georgette and an upturned brim hat of the same colored velvet.

Sports Frock Suitable for Informal Occasion



The frock has a wide collar, the square neckline, button trimming, are smart details noted in this practical little dress. It is a sports frock pretty enough for any informal occasion.

Anything That Wears Hair
Everything with hair, from a rat to a redoubt is being utilized for fur garments and trimmings. This is especially noticeable of the hats where mole is being extensively used. The fur yields readily to fitting in the most delicate shades and offers striking contrast to satin laces of the darker lines.

Colored Negligees
Negligees of chiffon velvet in purple, Chinese blue and deep lavender are now being displayed. They are embroidered in white or in soft colors.

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ABROAD ONE SEES MANY SMART EVENING GOWNS COMBINED WITH COLORED VELVET.

The deathknell of the black evening gown has certainly not sounded, although one hears more of color. Continental women are always partial to black and wear it with distinction.

In Rome, where the women appear quite as smart as the Parisienne and wear French clothes almost exclusively, black satin evening gowns, variously relieved by color, are much in evidence. At a recent dinner dance held at one of the principal hotels in the Eternal City, the smartest frock was black satin made without sleeves and with a slightly V neckline. The front of the dress had a full apron in four sections, the ones at either side being the longest, and all of these sections were banded three times with oyster white velvet, the bands graduating in width from about six to



A Formal Dress Is Elaborately Embroidered in Chinese Blue Tones With Gold on Black Net, and Worn Over a Metal Slip.

Three inches with a narrow black space between. Another velvet banded frock worn on the same occasion was orchid chiffon, with a band of natter blue and black velvet at the hemline. Black satin frocks with godets or wide flounces of beige and brown lace set in at the hip lines are other favorite dresses. In colors, greens must be mentioned first, green and gold brocades being especially liked.

Spangled dresses are having a renaissance. One charming cyclamen pink chiffon was spangled in slender points tapering to nothing at the bustline, and solidly spangled to within four inches of the circular skirt edge, with spangles matching the chiffon. At the hem heavy silver bugles were closely encrusted, making the desired heavy hem effect and in contrasting color. Most of the smart frocks have their greatest trimming interest at the edge of the skirt.

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Smart Winter Turbans Are in Rich Red Velvet



Flyaway bows and drooping wings of ribbon adorn some of the popular turbans for winter wear. The velvet wing at the side in the model shown, is an original feature in this turban of wine red velvet.

Flare of Every Type in New Winter Coats

Every type of flare is used in the coat models for winter. There are deep gorges and set-ins and set-aways and gorges and inserted plaques, and many interpenetrations of the circular flares. And for her who would achieve distinction by using the very different, there is the coat that begins its flare at the shoulder. Needles to

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As a sort of stepping stone there is the coat that superimposes a flare over a straight-line coat, the under part banded with fur or embroidery. It is a sort of undecided type, showing the equal popularity of the more familiar straight model with the newer flared affair.

As a part of the costume suit and as a separate garment, the tailored coat is much in evidence. It is not so much of the new lines, by any means, but in accentuating them it does not a bit of its meticulous tailoring or its feeling of simplicity. There are several versions of it, all of them authentic, so far as the prescribed mode is concerned.

The fabrics are the more or less material—the chevrons, tweeds, home-spuns, oxfords and novelty woads in patterns that clearly stimulate the masculine mode. And the coats are

three-quarters length or seven-eighths, although there are very short frocks with some of the suits and, as a matter of course there are hem-length coats.

One may, if she be so inclined, include in a double-breasted model of a coat with a double row of buttons that extends from collar to hem. Again the idea is merely suggested by two buttons in a horizontal position at the waistline. But more of the models feature the side closing, the collar set out that it can be worn high, but when opened, it falls naturally into deep curves. The wrap-around line is a becoming one.

Collars may, for the most part, be worn high—for it is a season of high collars. And they are cleverly cut in sharp lines to run to the waist, or even the hem line. This long line is now edged with trimming of some sort in the more elaborate models, of which there are a very great many.

Sport Stockings in Gay Colors, Patterns

Hedonism is not designed these days to be hidden under the folds of a petticoat, but to hold its own as an important item of costume. The styles for this season are of great variety. Sport stockings are especially striking in both patterns and colors. Woolen stockings for sports dress have always been de rigueur, strictly speaking, although some more than ordinarily heavy silks and flises are being offered as suitable to wear with lighter weight dress goods and for the sultry climate of southern resorts. The sturdy wool socks are uncommonly attractive, in diagonals, blocks, stripes and zigzag lines. Apparently the more conspicuous styles are being considered smart, for these are up-to-the minute in date and not inexpensive. They are limited in heavy rib and

the patterns, geometric motifs, Egyptian and American Indian, in character, are often done on a ground of gray, tan, brown or white.

The very latest thing in broader stockings is of silk net. They are woven in the open round mesh of Brussels net, thin as cobwebs and in lovely shades of beige, flesh and pearl.

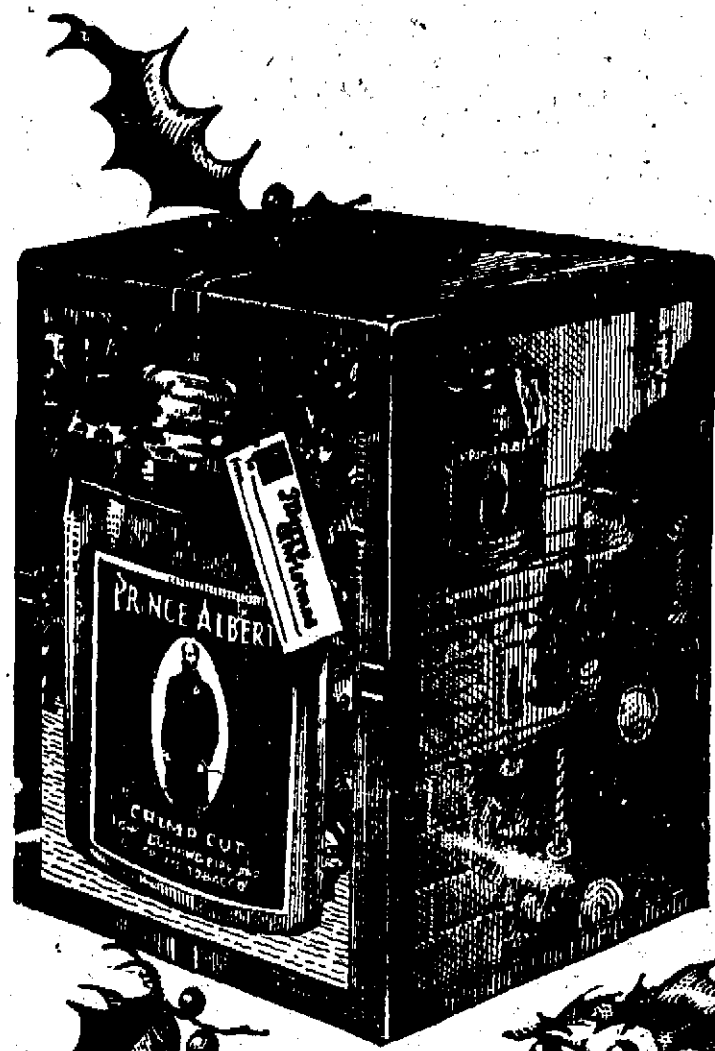
Part of Scheme

Newspapers, smartness begins at the sidewalk and goes a long way up before it reaches a skirt hem. Which is to say that shoes and stockings were never more important. The shoes are generally in color to complete the

tone. Gray and green are favorite shades. Soft browns are important. And, where black exists, it decides to be the old all-black patent leather pump, but combines itself with many colors.

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TRAVANCORE,
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THE recent appointment of a Christian as dewan or prime minister of Travancore, long considered one of the most Braman-riden of the Indian native states, turns attention to this "last corner" of India.

Such an appointment of a non-Hindu is without precedent in the state. Caste has meant—and of course still means—everything in Travancore. The high caste members can eat only food prepared by Bramans. Railroad travel is almost prohibitively expensive for a man of high caste. He must take a retinue of Braman servants with him, and must stop off at some station each time a meal is desired so that his servants can prepare it.

The dogma of "untouchableness" is rampant. Progressive as the state is in many ways, one may at times hear on all sides the high caste man calling out as he walks. In order that the lower castes, whose mere proximity is supposed to defile him, may withdraw to the roadside. However, Europeanized Bramans may feel secretly about all this, they must follow the ritual and keep the traditions to the letter or suffer the contempt of their fellows and ostracism from all good society. Even crossing the sea is supposed to defile one, and Hindus who have traveled to Europe are looked down upon. This esprit de corps in maintaining the old traditions is one of the greatest handicaps Christianity has encountered in its efforts to reach the better people of India, especially in the "Braman-riden" communities.

It does not do for traveling Westerners to analyze too closely the peculiar customs that they encounter in Travancore. Even the most important British governmental dignitaries are received by the maharajah of Travancore at seven o'clock in the morning. It is a vexatious thing for a Westerner to have to tumble out of bed for such an unusual appointment. But the early engagement is more than vexatious when the visitor learns the real reason for it. The maharajah bathes ceremonially at eight o'clock. He must have the necessary contacts with persons not of his caste before the bath so that he will be "uncontaminated" for the remainder of the day. The morning audience has therefore been a bitter pill for many a proud British dignitary.

The Matriarchal System. The throne of Travancore is filled by a peculiar matriarchal system. The son of a maharajah does not succeed his father. Instead, the throne goes to the maharajah's nephew, or if he has no sister or no nephew, the succession passes to the son of his niece or of a female cousin.

Always there must be two potential mothers of maharajahs in the Travancore royal household. These are the senior and junior rani, or princesses, who are little if any less royal than the reigning maharajah himself. They are either the maharajah's blood sisters or other acceptable kinwomen adopted as sisters. The husbands of rani, though of high caste, are not royal, merely consorts.

Travancore extends from the extreme southern end of India, Cape Comorin, up the west coast for 174 miles and inland for an average distance of 50 miles to the Western Ghats. Lying within only a few degrees of the equator, the country is of course hot. Moisture is abundant and the vegetation luxuriantly tropical. It is rated by many travelers the most fertile and picturesque area in India, being flanked in the latter regard with far differently situated Kashmir.

The country's claim to picturesque rests largely on its coastal strip. Sand splits form a series of lagoons and back waters which have been connected by canals. On the shores of these lagoons are a number of the more important towns of Travancore, and between them are the scattered homes of the lagoon dwellers. The few travelers who have penetrated so far from the beaten path and who do not mind hardships commend as one of the most picturesque journeys in the world a voyage by "cabin-boat" through the Travancore lagoons.

Travel by Cabin-Boat. The cabin-boat is a long, galley-like affair with a sort of hooded cabin not high enough for one to stand erect. The boat is propelled by a dozen or more oarsmen who work in shifts. Because of the heat traveling is done mostly at night. The lord of the boat reclines in his cabin and enjoys the breeze which sweeps through because of the motion of the craft. On top of the cabin is a bench on which the voyager may sit in state, if he likes, facing the rowers. The boatmen sing as they swing their oars—songs said to be most interesting but entirely unmelodious. During the day cabin-boat passengers put up in the lagoon towns or in isolated travelers' bungalows maintained by the government.

The lagoons are lined with almost unbroken groves of coconut palms, on which much of the wealth of Travancore rests. Because of the heat the natives are languid and do not work very energetically. As a matter of fact they do not need to; the coconuts work for them. Half a dozen trees or so, it is said, will, with a few fish caught in the lagoon, support a family. In addition to the copra or dried coconut meat, the fiber of the husk is valuable, and palm sap is made into a beverage. In recognition of all this a wag dubbed the state "Coconutcore."

Back from the lagoons is a rich country devoted to raising rice, tea, coffee, and pepper. In the higher country farther inland are forests of teak, sandalwood, ebony and other valuable trees. In this region roam herds of wild elephants while tigers, leopards and other wild beasts are numerous.

Quilon and Alleppey on the coastal lagoons are two of the principal towns of Travancore. The former is the only port of the state with rail connection, but its lines of steel have not done a great deal, apparently, to modernize it. There are one or two buildings in a semi-European style and several factories but for the rest the town consists chiefly of one-story huts of sun-dried brick and shacks of matting and bamboo.

The capital, Trivandrum, is also on the coast and barely fifty miles north of the tip of India. It has been described as "forty miles from a railroad and forty years behind the times." A fort, the maharajah's palaces, a school, temples and miscellaneous government buildings help to lift it above the mediocrity that its many low mud-brick dwellings suggest. Unless a European is sufficiently well off to hire a servant to pull a punkah (huge fan) while he sleeps he will probably flee from Trivandrum after a short stay.

Many Christians There. Travancore is of greater interest perhaps than other Indian states, to Americans and Europeans because in its borders Christianity has flourished longer than in some countries of Europe; and now about a quarter of the state's four million inhabitants are adherents of some of the branches of the Christian faith. First in the field were the Syrian Christians, the so-called "Christians of St. Thomas." The tradition is that St. Thomas, one of the twelve apostles, himself traveled to India and planted the faith. This would mean, of course, that Christianity has existed in India since the First century A. D. Historians doubt that the Christianity of India's west coast has such ancient roots. It is pretty well established, however, that Christianity did exist in that region as early as the Sixth century. The Christian communities in what is now Travancore were under the Nestorian church, which, with headquarters in Mesopotamia, covered much of Asia. The Indian branch of the church kept its contacts with the parent Nestorian organization even after the latter had declined, and sent delegates to the patriarch as late as 1490.

When the Portuguese went to southwestern India the local Christians were friendly toward them but at first resented the efforts of the Roman Catholic church, introduced by the Portuguese, to control them. Nevertheless in 1599 the local Christians accepted the control of the see of Rome, but retained the use of the Syriac language in their services.

Half a century later a schism occurred, part of the Indian Christians leaving the Catholic church and the others remaining. This division has persisted until today. The seceding Christians did not return to their Nestorian allegiance but fell under the influence of another Eastern branch, the Jacobite Christians, and their patriarch at Antioch. This affiliation they retain today, but they have become more independent in late years under the influence of Anglican missionaries.

In few other places in the world may one find Christianity, established for many centuries, existing in the heart of a country predominantly of alien religion, and with apparently little friction. In the northern coastal strip of Travancore especially, one comes upon numerous churches, some of great age, their whitewashed bell-towers rising among the green feathery palms. Hard by may be small Hindu temples with their many-armed effigies. Kottayam, on one of the lagoons of northern Travancore, is the seat of the Syrian church in India and is as well a Christian missionary center. There are two large Syrian Christian schools in the little town as well as mission schools, and more than a third of the population is Christian.

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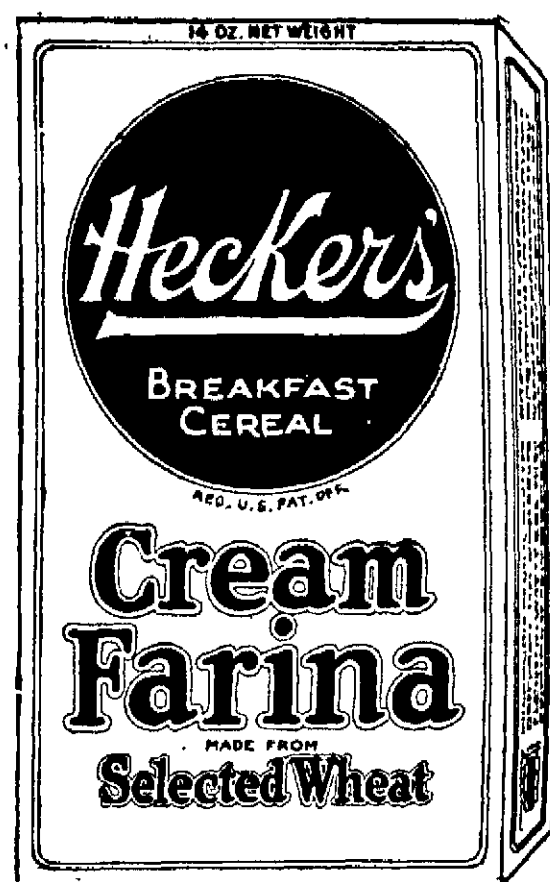
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Gatherings Not Only
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While the natives of Ethiopia represent a rather high order of intelligence they do not seem to be able to break away from their old traditions and their old methods. The market is the medium of exchange of goods and services as well as of commodities, and market day is a time that the native does not miss if it can be avoided. The inhabitants of the highlands bring their grain and other products down to some large place which is recognized as the "market" and there they meet the natives of the lowlands who have brought their cotton. The latter is the basis of all exchange and barter. They have money, but the value of the cotton regulates the value of the money, and also of all other goods. The cotton trade was first introduced to the natives about the year 1890, so market day is regarded as a very important day.

Among the races which reveal all whistling are the Arabs. They say that it is inspired by the "evil one," and that it takes 40 days to purify the mouth of a whistler. Five years ago the governor of Guam, the American Island possession in the Pacific, issued an edict against whistling on that island—presumably in deference to the prejudice of the natives against the practice.—Grit.

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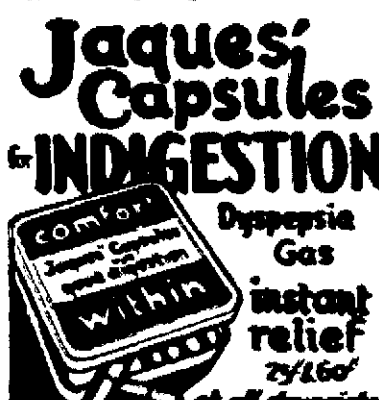
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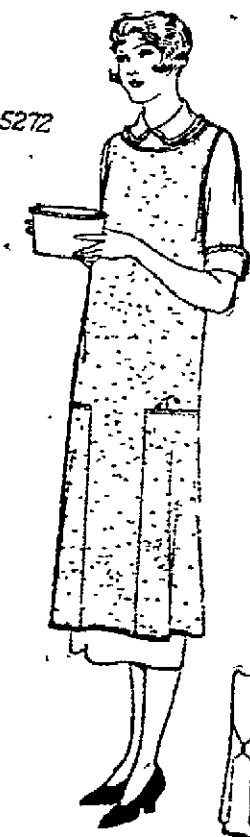
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More Divorces, Less Marriages

Department of Commerce Issues
1924 Casualty List of the Battle
of Love—Authorities Have Many
Conditions to Blame.Washington, Dec. 7.—Day by day,
year by year, marriage is getting
more uncertain and divorce more
frequent.Divorces numbered 170,867 in
1924, an increase of 5,771 over
1923.Marriages totalled 1,178,206 just
45,718 under the preceding year.These figures, the first authentic
casualty list of the year's eternal
battle in the name of love, were
made public today by the depart-
ment of commerce.Between the lines of the drab sta-
tistics is a sordid story of love pi-
racy, bobbed hair, moonshine licker,
skillet hurlers, cabaret slickers,
mothers-in-law, fast living and a
thousand and one other reasons why
husbands and wives forget that they
are tied by the oath "till death do us
part."Reno was a complete flop as a di-
vorce center.Texas, with a feminine governor
captured the distinction of record
matrimonial break-ups for the year
with 15,375 decrees granted. Ne-
vada was far down the list with
1,037.Illinois registered second for di-
vorces granted with 13,658.Ohio, California, Michigan and
Missouri came next.All states showed increased di-
vorces over 1923.South Carolina was the only state
without a divorce—the state legis-
lature abolished laws permitting di-
vorce in 1878.New York, in spite of its great
population and record of 106,312
marriages, was low in the divorce
statistics. Only 4,622 legal separa-
tions were reported.Illinois ranked next to New York
in marriages, 81,918 ceremonies
having been performed.The census bureau does not go in-
to the causes for divorce nor the ex-
cuse for marriage. Officials, how-
ever, declared that the main basic
caused for increasing divorces is the
lack of preliminary consideration of
the troubles and duties of marriage.Officials were inclined to place a
great deal of blame on the marriage
laws, although the statutes pertain-
ing to legal separation are held re-
sponsible for many divorces. Weak-
ness of divorce laws are said to
make experimental marriages easy
in many states.The post war order of society—
lack of moral restraints, and the
"new youth" of America—the bob-
bed haired housewife and the belled
rounder male, are held by some
authorities to form a combination
little adapted to the duties of "papa
and mamma."

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500 designs of ladies' misses' and
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improvement for the dressmaker,
also some points for the needle
(illustrating 30 of the various cas-
sle stitches), all valuable hints to
the home dressmaker.

To Yellow for Autumn

The sugar maple with its larger
leaves of richer green, the softer
maple of our northern states and the
mountains extending to the south,
put on a yellow garment for autumn.
says the American Tree association
of Washington, D. C., which for a
long season has been planting sug-
gestions. Its yellow is not as brilliant
as that of the leaves of the Nor-
maple, but the foliage of this member
of the maple family drops from the
limb soon after the green has left.

Possibly Not

Jed Tunkins says a man who brags
that he never got arrested hasn't
come on water, like every body else.
Washington Star

Just His Boast

Professor "I maintain that men
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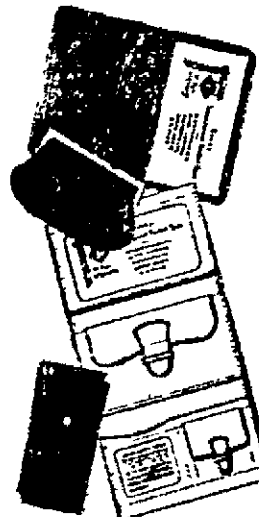
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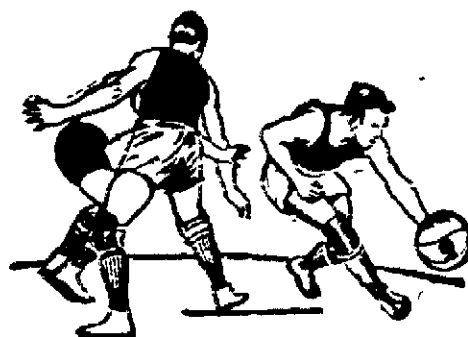
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Kernhonkson, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Mar-
shal Christiana is spending some
time with her daughter at Kingston.
Mrs. Arthur Charney is confined to
her home with an injured foot.Mrs. Wilson, who has been spend-
ing some time with her daughter,
Mrs. Fred Strickland, has returned
to her son's for the winter.Mrs. Ira Decker is improving at
this writing.The Working Women met at the
home of Mrs. James Addis on Wed-
nesday afternoon. There were 20
members present. At the close ofthe meeting delicious refreshments
were served.Mrs. James Grant and Mrs. Rachel
Jordachick and Mrs. Marcella Bell
spent Wednesday with Mr. Isaac
Duercher.

Queen Esther Circle.

The regular monthly business
meeting of the Queen Esther Circle
of the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church,
will be held at the home of Mrs.
Francine Heston, 124 Clinton ave.,
Tuesday evening at eight o'clock.
The girls are urged to bring their
thank offering envelopes, gifts forLucy Greene and handkerchiefs for
the girls at Watts de Peyster Home.

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Came Here for Kingston's Health

The desirability of giving publicity to important matters affecting the health of the city is demonstrated by the recent addition to Kingston of a retired New York merchant and his family, who has bought a residence here. Driving through in June, on his way to Cooperstown, he stopped one night at one of the city's hotels. Buying The Freeman, he read the proceedings of the board of health and the laboratory report. It was his intention to buy a place somewhere along the Hudson, but nearer New York. Having once had an attack of typhoid fever, his wife and he concluded that a town which had so efficient a board of health with the adjunct of a first-class laboratory was the place for them, and asking to be directed to a reliable real estate agent, they authorized him to find a home. He did so, and the transaction has been closed. The purchaser will take possession in May.

150 YEARS AGO

The Origin of the U. S. A.
By Jonathan A. Rawson, Jr.

THE INDIAN—FRIEND OR FOE?

"There is a great number of proved enemies against our association and regulation thereof, proceeding in and about Johnstown and Kingsborough, under the direction and order of Sir John Johnson, being Highlanders, amounting to 200 men, according to intelligence. We are daily scandalized by them, and threatened, and we must surely expect a havoc of them upon our families if we should be required and called elsewhere for the defense of our country's cause. The people on our side are not willing that the committee should proceed so indulgently any longer. We have great suspicions, and are almost assured that Sir John has a continual correspondence with Col. Guy Johnson and his party."

Thus wrote Tryon County (New York) patriots to the Provincial Congress of New York on September 7, 1775. One hundred and fifty years ago today, General Philip Schuyler returned to his home town of Albany from the Canadian expedition, the leadership of which he had been obliged to give over to General Richard Montgomery on account of ill health. He found that his home town was no health resort for him just then. Awaiting him was a delegation of 60 Indians. The great problem of the moment in old Tryon County was, "What are the Indians going to do?"

The situation which General Schuyler found in Tryon county in December was exactly that described in the September letters, except that it was much more acute. Philip Schuyler was the one man of all men to deal with it as the leader of the patriots. When he found those sixty redmen awaiting him on that seventh day of December, he knew that upon his success in dealing with them might depend in large measure the making or breaking of the patriot cause in what was then up-state New York.

Were the savages to be friends or foes in the war with England? If they were to be foes, years of terror and desolation were ahead for the northern frontier. If they were to be foes, the men folks must stay at home to safeguard their own firesides, and Washington's appeals for recruits for his army must be denied.

To assure their friendship, the Tory plots engineered by the all-powerful Johnsons must be thwarted for the pet project of the Tryon County Tories was to bring about an Indian uprising against the peaceful, prosperous settlements of the Hudson and Mohawk valleys. The Johnsons, Sir John and Colonel Guy, had adopted the King's cause as their own and were busy through their many dependents and friends prejudicing the savages against the Americans.

Such was the Indian problems of the patriots 150 years ago the present time, and such it was to remain for many anxious months. (Copyright, 1925, by the Putnam Syndicate.)

Tomorrow—"Simon Baxter, Typical Tory."

COOLIDGE WAS BRIEF.

Gave Comprehensive Report of Sermon in Very Few Words.

A special dispatch to the New York Times of today from On Board the President's Train on the way to Chicago, says:

The latest Coolidge story, characteristic of the president's economy in conversation as well as words, is being told on the president's train traveling to Chicago.

As told by one of his friends, this is the story:

President Coolidge attended church some time ago unaccompanied by Mrs. Coolidge. On his return to the White House Mrs. Coolidge asked him whether the sermon was good, to which he replied, "Yes."

"What was it about?"

"Sin."

"What did the preacher say about it?"

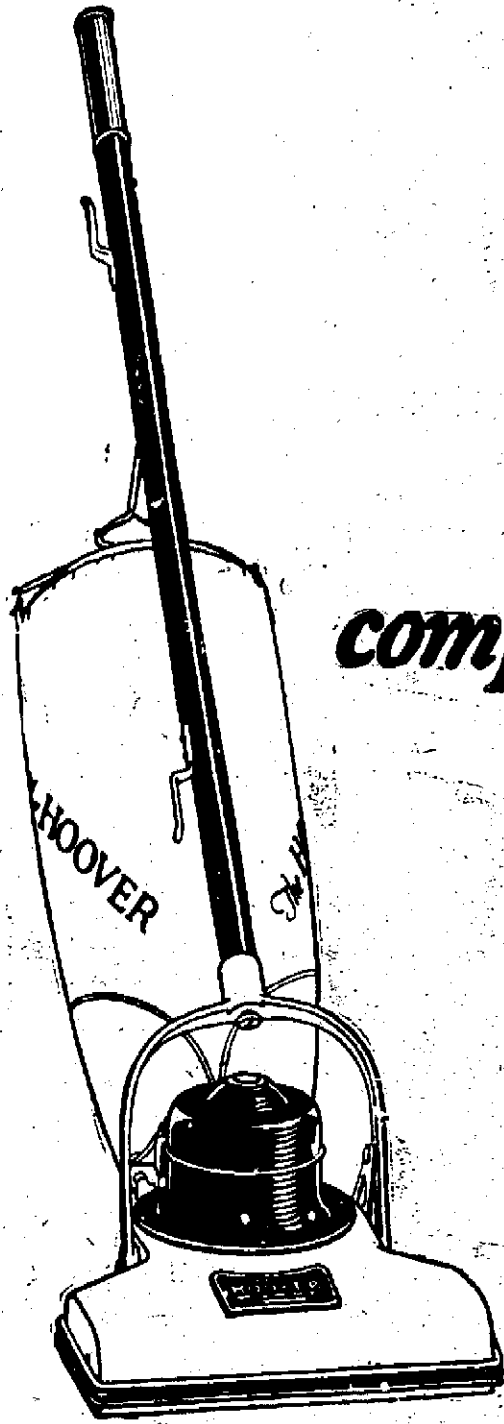
"He was against it."

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Children love them as they do candy, because they are sugar coated and easy to take. One boy gained 15 pounds in seven weeks, and is now healthy and happy—thousands of other children have grown strong and robust.

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fast as we can sell them.

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TIME TABLE OF
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Effective November 20, 1925.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows:

Resident Station 12:00 p. m.

Colon Station 12:30 a. m., 12:30 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows:

Colon Station 11:25 a. m., 10:35 p. m.

Resident Station 11:25 a. m.

Daily, 11:45 except Sunday, 11:45 only.

Imagination

He that had never seen a river imagined the first he met with to be the sea; and the greatest things that have fallen without our knowledge we conclude the extremes that nature makes of the kind.—Montaigne.

Editorial Touch

Maid the mistress, after giving notice—And as I'm leaving I might as well tell you as you've got the date of my arrival here wrong in your diary!—London Windsor Magazine.

Albany's Hammer Murder Mystery

Police Seek Second Body Following Recovery of an Unidentified Woman's Body Under the Porch.

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Police today were seeking a second body in Albany's hammer murder mystery.

Arraignment of Albert Devine, 44, on a charge of murdering his wife, Catherine, 42, whose body was dug out of the dirt under the front porch of the Devine home, was postponed while the authorities continue their investigation.

Devine, a former Republican alderman, according to the police, confessed he crushed his wife's head with a hammer on September 6 and then buried her body under the front porch.

The body taken from under the porch has not been identified as that of Mrs. Devine.

A wedding ring taken from the dead woman's left hand bears the engraved date November 27, 1925, almost three months after the time Devine confessed to the authorities that he slew his wife.

Albert Devine, Jr., 22 year old son of the dead woman, told the police he believed his father had buried his mother's body under a shack on the outskirts of Bennington, Vermont. The Devines were on a motor trip to Vermont early in September. Information given the police by young Devine led to his father's arrest, the police say. The father is alleged to have confessed to his son on Thanksgiving Day that he had killed Mrs. Devine, following a bitter quarrel.

Grace Devine, 18 years old daughter of Devine, who has been living for some time with her grandmother near Scranton, Pa., today was expected in Albany. She will be questioned by the authorities.

SALE OF ARTICLES WILL HELP CHINESE ORPHANS

The sale of hand embroidered articles, bead chains, etc., which will be held at the home of Mrs. Frank R. Powley 49 West Chestnut street, on Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock will not only accrue to the advantage of those who go looking for Christmas gifts, but will help the orphan girls of the Girls' Industrial School of Poochow, China, who have made the articles to be sold. For various reasons it will be possible to buy these unique gifts at much less than such articles sell for in New York city. The ladies of the Missionary Society of the Roundout Presbyterian Church who are holding the sale, will also serve afternoon tea.

Or as He Appears
No man is ever as important as he feels the first time anybody asks his advice.—Birmingham News.

To Bob or Not



Mrs. Morris Wallach, of New York, owner of the longest crop of hair in the East, would trade it for the most up-to-date boyish bob. But friend husband proud of the luxurious growth, and not having to take care of it, says "nay."

WEEKLY ORGAN RECITAL AT ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

On each succeeding Tuesday until Christmas, Roger Williams, organist at St. John's Church, will give a special organ recital beginning at 12:10 p. m. and lasting 25 minutes. These free organ recitals given through Advent will be open to the public and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

There will be an important meeting of the Women's Auxiliary on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Parish House.

On Thursday at 10 a. m. there will be a celebration of Holy Communion.

Right Use of Wealth
When wealthy, show thy wisdom not to be to wealth a servant, but to make wealth serve thee.—Sir J. Denham.

Over \$100,000 For Conservation

Albany, Dec. 7.—For the five months ending November 30, the conservation commission received from the sale of hunting and trapping licenses \$162,125.23.

Under an amendment to the conservation law passed this year, one-half of the receipts from the sale of licenses is to be placed to the credit of the conservation fund to be used, after appropriation by the legislature, for the establishment of a state-wide system of game refuges for the improvement of hunting and fishing and for forestry demonstration. The receipts from the licenses thus far make available for the conservation fund \$81,212.63 which probably will be increased to more than \$100,000 by the time the legislature convenes.

After January 1 it is expected that the receipts from the sale of licenses will be materially increased by the addition of anglers to the number of people required to take out licenses. The legislature of 1925 provided for a combination hunting, trapping and fishing license which permits the holder to hunt, trap and fish with no increased cost for the license and put hunters, trappers and anglers on an equal footing. Minors under 16 years of age, owners or lessees of farm lands occupying and cultivating the same are not required to take out a license for hunting, trapping and fishing on their own lands. Women residents of New York state are not required to take out a license for angling and no license is required to take fish by angling in any salt waters of the marine district.

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Christmas Presents From Any Woman TO ANY MAN

That Will Reflect Her Intelligence, Instead Of Reflecting Upon It, And That Will Arouse Pleasure In The Gift And Pride In The Giver

SILVERED with the dust of years is the familiar quip that a woman always selects Christmas Gifts for a man which make him mad, instead of glad. If Mrs. Reader will only choose for Mr. Reader things to wear, she'll make it a lot, not a lottery. Moreover, without surrendering one iota of usefulness and thoughtfulness she will economize prudently in comparison with many costly, tawdry presents that are put aside, instead of put on and that elicit sarcasm, instead of satisfaction. The way to a man's heart is through his craving for comfort and love of luxury. Do your Christmas Shopping here and there won't be any 'Christmas Swapping' by-and-by.

Our sales staff, familiar through long experience with the likes and dislikes of men, will be honored to have the opportunity either to suggest appropriate gifts to you or other them for you, just as you prefer. You will receive interested attention and willing courtesy, with no pressure to purchase.

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| Robbed Wool Hose, Short Or Long | Raincoats | Wool Walrusene |
| Silk And Wool Hose | Boat Shoes | Madras Palamas |
| Mocha Gloves | Silk Mittens | Colored Handkerchiefs |
| Motoring Caps | Wool Mittens | Cuff Links |
| Warm Underwear | Capekin Gloves | Tuxedo Jewelry |
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3 salts and 3 peppers in neat box. \$1.50 to \$12.00.

For the Dressing Table.

Just to remind you that there are beautiful gifts of the sort for her dressing table: Silver perfume trays, vanity sets, toilet sets, jewel cases, photograph frames, pin cushions and bottles, hand-mirrors and other things. Such a dressing table accessory in a new pattern, beautifully finished, is always a welcome gift.

HAMILTON WATCHES for men and ladies from \$48 to \$152.50, white and green gold.

WATCHES

A pocket watch of 14 karat gold; 17 jewel Waltham or Elgin movement.

\$40 to \$75

A snap watch of 14 karat gold. It is in a popular rectangular case and has a luminous dial. Elgin movement. 15 jewel.

\$50 to \$100.

JEWELRY

The Most Personal Gift of All



Gifts Expressing Thoughtfulness

To give thoughtfully is to give wisely, for thoughtful giving best expresses the Christmas spirit.

To give thoughtfully one must select gifts that have permanence. Of the countless holiday expressions of sentiment there is nothing that has the permanent value of jewelry. In your own family jewelry possessions today there are perhaps heirlooms now highly treasured that rememberances of Yuletide many many years ago.

Satisfactory jewelry selections greatly depend upon your faith in the merchant. Faith is a potent factor in the buying of jewelry, diamonds, watches, silverware and precious stones. Faith in the seller is vital to the purchaser's satisfaction and to the recipient's appreciation. This invitation has maintained a high standard of quality and service to deserve that faith.

The opportunity to select Christmas gifts is a rare one. It is a chance to give a gift that will be remembered for years to come. It is a chance to give a gift that will be treasured for years to come. It is a chance to give a gift that will be remembered for years to come.

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Hidden in the mysterious depths of a tassel you will find a lipstick, a novel feature which makes this imported black enamel and sterling silver vanity cage a unique gift.

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JEWELRY THE MOST PERSONAL GIFT OF ALL

A gift of jewelry is so lovely—so personal—that it carries with it a feeling of great consideration and regard on the part of the giver. For those for whom you care most, jewelry is a matchless gift. Here are a few suggestions for your Christmas list.

A Belt Buckle of 14 karat gold with a bold design around the space for monogram. \$14.98.

A Wrist Watch; a chic little affair of 18 karat white gold, set with six diamonds and four synthetic sapphires. There are six shapes to choose from; all 17 jewel movement. \$50 to \$75.

Cuff Links are faced with platinum on a 14 karat green gold base. Design is dignified and simple. \$15.00 to \$60.00.

A Flexible Bracelet of 18 karat gold, whose delicate design is enhanced by a setting of one diamond and two synthetic sapphires. \$24.00.

A Diamond Ring of 18 karat white gold. Three diamonds and two synthetic sapphires are charmingly combined to set off slim white fingers. \$60 to \$350.00.

A Knife; a 14 karat gold knife in a simple pattern. Two strong steel blades. \$7.00 to \$15.00.

Gift Diamond Jewelry.

Always Associated with Sweetest Memories.

Diamond Set Flexible Bracelets, platinum on 14-kt. white gold, attractive pierced design, set with a beautiful diamond and 2 synthetic sapphires. \$40 to \$250.

Day Pins, platinum on 14-kt. gold Exquisite designs. Set with a lovely diamond and two sapphires. \$95.00 to \$200.00.

Platinum and Diamond Wrist Watches, beautifully engraved; rectangular shapes, set with 20 diamonds and a very fine 17-jeweled movement. Grey or black ribbon bracelet attached. Special \$58.75 to \$800.00.

Men's 14 kt. Solid Gold Wrist Watches, new square or oblong models; luminous dials. 15-jewel lever movement. Leather strap with gold buckle. \$60 to \$100.

Strap Watches for Men and Boys—Square, round, oval and other smart shapes of sterling, gold-filled or nickel. Luminous dials. Sturdy leather straps, reliable movements. \$12.00 to \$35.00.

Truly distinctive is this handkerchief set in all colors. Comb, brush and mirror. An abiding gift of quiet elegance. \$15.00 to \$75.00.

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Oil Scandal Charges Stand

Washington, Dec. 7.—The criminal indictments against ex-Secretary of the Interior Albert B. Fall, Edward L. Doheny, Sr., and Edward L. Doheny, Jr., growing out of the leasing of the Elk Hills oil reserve, must stand, the federal court of appeals decided in a ruling handed down here today.

The indictments charge Fall with receiving \$100,000 from Doheny, Sr., charged Doheny with giving it to Fall and charged Doheny, Jr., with complicity in acting as the carrier of the money in the famous "little black satchel."

The court of appeals reversed the recent decision of Chief Justice McCoy in the District of Columbia supreme court, quashing the indictments.

SOCIETY NOTES

Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Golden were tendered a surprise party at their new home on Hurley avenue by thirty of their friends. The evening was delightfully spent with music and games and refreshments were served. Many useful and valuable gifts were presented Mr. and Mrs. Golden.

Rich-Baker.

Oda Rich of No. 15 Ardsley street and Myrtle B. Baker of No. 175 Washington avenue were united in marriage on November 29 by the Rev. J. Lewis Hartsock, pastor of Trinity M. E. Church in Poughkeepsie.

The Coterie.

The Coterie met at the home of Mrs. Russell on Saturday afternoon. Miss Cordes was the guest of honor and Mrs. Frank Eastman, the new member of the Coterie, was present for the first time. Mrs. Eastman will entertain the club at its next meeting, January 9th, 1924. On Saturday afternoon the club members considered the "First National Period, 1775-1865." A very entertaining afternoon was afforded by readings from representative authors.—Washington Irving, James Fenimore Cooper—given by Mrs. Monroe, and selections from the poems of Edgar Allan Poe and William Cullen Bryant, given by Mrs. Kingman.

MC CORDS AT EPWORTH HALL THIS EVENING

Mr. and Mrs. McCord, professional entertainers, will present a varied program this evening in Epworth Hall on Clinton avenue. Mr. McCord is noted as an impersonator while his wife is a talented musician. The program promises to be one of the most interesting and enjoyable given in the hall in some time.

DIED.

FENTZ.—At Waterbury, Conn., Friday, December 4, 1923, Conrad W. Fentz, aged 59 years.
Elks' service for departed brother at Elks' Home, 254 Fair street, Monday at 8 p. m. Relatives and friends and members of Kosciuszko Lodge of Odd Fellows are requested to attend. Funeral service at 40 Maiden Lane (N. D. J. Murphy Funeral Home) on Tuesday at 2 p. m. Interment in the family plot in Wiltwyck Cemetery after the service, to which Brother Elks and Odd Fellows are invited.

MEENAHAN.—At the home of his brother, Edward Meenahan, 277 Sackett street, Brooklyn, N. Y., Sunday, December 6, 1923, James J. Meenahan.
Funeral from the West Shore Railroad depot on Wednesday, December 9, upon the arrival of the 11:05 a. m. train, thence to St. Joseph's Church, where a requiem Mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in the family plot in St. Mary's Cemetery.

SINSAUBAUGH.—In this city, at residence, 46 Hunter street, December 6, 1923, Mary L. Sutton, wife of Daniel W. Sinisaubach.
Funeral at the Trinity M. E. Church, Wurts street, on Wednesday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Montrose Cemetery.

ELKS ATTENTION.

All members of Kingston Lodge No. 350, B. P. O. E. are requested to attend the Elks' service for the late Conrad W. Fentz, a member of Newburgh Lodge, No. 247, at the lodge rooms, Monday evening at 8 o'clock. J. H. HIGLEY, Exalted Ruler.

Financial and Commercial

New York, Dec. 7.—Railroad stocks were the leaders in a moderate uptick of prices in the stock market today. Representative railroad shares in both the high and low priced divisions of the market established new high records for the last year or more in some cases the highest in the history of the roads. Chrysler's 5 point advance to 218 was the principal feature outside of the railroad list and elsewhere the market was irregular with quite liberal offerings of oil, copper steel, equipment and specialty stocks.

New Haven's steady advance to 45, the highest since 1918, Pennsylvania at 53 1/4, Atlantic Coast line at 242 1/4, Atchafalaya above 127, New York Central at 129 1/4, Northern Pacific above 75, Baltimore and Ohio above 91 1/4 and Southern Railway at 117 were among the active leaders of the railroad group.

The industrial and specialty stocks were by no means uniform. Occasional selling waves of profit taking and speculative selling sent prices of representative stocks down from 2 to 5 points with little apparent support. The utility stocks had a good day, with Consolidated Gas, Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit, American Water Works, Philadelphia Company and Columbia Gas selling in good volume at the highest prices of the movement. American Water Works reached 79 in its almost uninterrupted advance from 51.

Quotations given by C. H. Halsey & Co., 27 William street, New York city, branch office, Warren Building, 160-62 Fair street, Kingston, N. Y.

2:45 P. M. QUOTATIONS.	
Ala-Chambers	90 1/4
American Beet Sugar	33 1/2
American Can	24 1/4
American Oil & Refinery	110 1/4
American Steel	123 1/4
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	12 1/4
American Sugar	14 1/4
American Tel. & Tel.	14 1/4
American Tobacco	40 1/4
Anacostia Copper Mining	40 1/4
Atchafalaya	127 1/4
Baldwin Loco	121 1/4
Baltimore & Ohio	91 1/4
Bellevue Steel	48 1/4
California Petroleum	31 1/4
Canadian Pacific	145 1/4
Central Leather	10 1/4
Cerro de Pasco Copper	63 1/4
Chandler Motors	47 1/4
Chenopetite & Ohio	115 1/4
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	105 1/4
Chicago, R. I. & Pacific	48 1/4
Cons. Gas	94 1/4
Corn Products	40 1/4
Cosden & Co.	30 1/4
Cruicell Steel	82 1/4
General Motors	37 1/4
Great Northern	120 1/4
Great Northern Ore	79 1/4
Inspiration Copper	25 1/4
Int. Mar. Marine Tid.	38 1/4
Int. Nickel	46 1/4
International Paper	61 1/4
Keary Spring Tire	41 1/4
Kennecott Copper	84 1/4
Lehigh Valley	84 1/4
Middle States Oil	51 1/4
New York Central	129 1/4
N. Y. N. H. & H.	44 1/4
Norfolk & Western	146 1/4
Northern Pacific	75 1/4
New York, Ontario & Western	28 1/4
Pacific Oil	60 1/4
Pan American Pet. & Trans. A.	76 1/4
Pan American Pet. & Trans. D.	78 1/4
Pennsylvania Railroad	30 1/4
Pittsburgh Coal	55 1/4
Reading Steel Corp.	55 1/4
Reading	171 1/4
Ren. Iron & Steel	38 1/4
Reynolds	37 1/4
Sinclair Corp.	21 1/4
Southern Pacific	160 1/4
Southern Railway	117 1/4
St. Oil California	36 1/4
St. Oil New Jersey	43 1/4
Studebaker	56 1/4
Texas Co.	52 1/4
Texas & Pacific Ry.	54 1/4
Tobacco Products "A"	104 1/4
Union Pacific	149 1/4
U. S. Industrial Alcohol Co.	71 1/4
U. S. Rubber	89 1/4
U. S. Steel	134 1/4
Utah Copper	74 1/4
Westinghouse Electric	74 1/4
White Motors	53 1/4

About the Folks

Mr. and Mrs. Ira M. Black, formerly of 154 Fair street, have moved to New York city, where Mr. Black has accepted a responsible position with French & French Company, architects, engineers, builders, of 350 Madison avenue.

KINGSTON TAXI SERVICE ADDS TWO MILE MERCHANTS

The Kingston Taxi Service has added two new "Mile Merchants" to their taxi service. This is a new term introduced in the taxi business in Kingston by the Kingston Taxi Service and stands for better and more efficient service. As the taxi service deals in miles of merchandise, the term seems most appropriate.

American Warships Withdrawn.
Washington, Dec. 7.—The American destroyers Lamson and Cogan, ordered to Beirut when the French began shelling Damascus, have been ordered withdrawn.

Birds That "Drum"

The Biological survey says that the ruffed grouse is the bird which produces the drumming sound. Partridge and pheasant are both terms applied locally to ruffed grouse, and to that extent it may be said that both the partridge and pheasant produce such sounds. The ruffed grouse is called partridge in the North and pheasant in the South.

Denmark's Orchard Island

Falkner is one of the Danish islands in the Baltic, which is known as "the orchard of Denmark." It is flat, well watered and richly wooded. Its chief products are hemp, corn, sugar beets, hops, cattle, honey and wax. Its capital is Nykøbing and the population is 27,000.

Colonel Felder Fined \$10,000

New York, Dec. 7.—Colonel Thomas B. Felder, prominent attorney of Atlanta, Ga., and New York, lost his case on appeal today when the United States circuit court of appeals refused to set aside the verdict of a lower court, convicting him and Gaston B. Means of a conspiracy to obstruct justice.

Means was sentenced to two years in Atlantic Federal penitentiary, which term he is now serving. Felder was fined \$10,000.

Felder and Means were convicted of having accepted \$55,000 from defendants in the Glass case, for which sum they are alleged to have secured the indictments quashed.

Couple Die in New York Fire

New York, Dec. 7.—Trapped in their top floor flat, Michael Ferrara, 68, and his wife, Rosario, 65, were burned to death early today when fire consumed the three story tenement in which they lived.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

Barbara Behr Ott, formerly of Tannersville, died Saturday, December 6, at her home at Central Nyack. Funeral Wednesday, December 9, at the Methodist Episcopal Church, Tannersville, at 12:30 p. m.

The body of Miss Ada Phillips, a former resident of Saugerties who was killed by an auto in Newburgh on Friday, was taken to Saugerties Sunday and buried in the family plot in Trinity cemetery. She was a daughter of the late Frank Phillips who resided on Ann street, Saugerties, and for a number of years Miss Phillips was engaged in the millinery business in Saugerties.

The funeral of Conrad W. Fentz will be held from the funeral parlors of N. D. J. Murphy, No. 46 Maiden Lane, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mr. Fentz was a member of Newburgh Lodge of Elks and the Elks' funeral service will be held in Kingston Lodge of Elks on Fair street, this evening at 8 o'clock, to which all Elks, friends and members of Kosciuszko Lodge of Odd Fellows are invited. Interment will be in the family plot in Wiltwyck Cemetery.

Mary E. Sutton, wife of Daniel W. Sinisaubach, died at the family home, No. 46 Hunter street, on Sunday. Besides her husband, she is survived by two daughters, Laura, wife of William A. Shook, of Edgewater, N. J., and Florence E., wife of Benjamin Rhymer of this city; her mother, Mrs. Sarah Sutton, of Plattkill. Mrs. Sinisaubach was a member of Trinity M. E. Church and an active member of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church. Funeral from Trinity M. E. Church on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Montrose Cemetery.

James J. Meenahan, a former resident of this city, died Sunday at the home of his brother, Edward Meenahan, 277 Sackett street, Brooklyn. The deceased was captain of a boat operating in the New York harbor. He is survived by five brothers, Thomas, Joseph, Edward, William and John, and three sisters, Mrs. Michael Kelly of New York city, Mrs. William Elverson of Poughkeepsie and Mrs. John Augsture of Paterson, N. J. Funeral in this city on Wednesday morning upon the arrival of the 11:05 West Shore train and at 11:30 o'clock at St. Joseph's Church, with a requiem Mass for the repose of his soul. Interment in the family plot in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Theodore Humphrey died at his home, 74 Henry street, Sunday, December 6, after being ill about a week. Mr. Humphrey was a carpenter and had been employed at this trade for sixty years. He was a son of the late Hiram Humphrey, for many years a justice of the peace in the town of Kingston. Deceased is survived by his wife, who before marriage was Sarah Rockwell; two sons, Edward W., of Albany, and Norwood of this city; a daughter, Mrs. William Werner; a brother, Frank Humphrey, of Hornell, N. Y., and two sisters, Mrs. Katherine Van Etten and Mrs. Henrietta Bouton of this city. Funeral at residence, 74 Henry street, Tuesday at 2:30 p. m. Interment in Wiltwyck Cemetery.

Jermina Gallup Schaffer died at her home in Grand George Sunday in the eighty-second year of her age. Funeral on Wednesday from the Stamford M. E. Church. Interment in Jefferson Cemetery. Deceased was born at Jefferson, October, 1844, the daughter of the late Amos Gallup and Lemira Forst. At the age of nineteen she married George L. Schaffer and a few years afterward engaged in the mercantile business. Before removing to Grand George she conducted the Jefferson Hotel and since that time conducted the Schaffer House. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Seymour Murphy. Mrs. Schaffer was very active in church and community work and had a host of friends who will deeply mourn her demise. She was affectionately known as "Mother."

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 7.—Grains opened higher today. Wheat opened 1 1/2 to 2 1/4 cents higher. Corn, 1/2 to 3/4 cent higher and oats 1/2 to 3/4 cent higher.

Opening Prices.

Wheat—December new, 173 1/4; 1924, old, 178; May new, 173 1/4; 1924; May old, 187; 1924; July, 182 1/4.
Corn—December, 78 1/4; May, 84 1/4; 1924; July, 87 1/4.
Oats—December, 42; May, 45 1/4; 1924.

Governor Pinchot Thanks Coolidge

Harrisburg, Pa., Dec. 7.—In a telegram sent to President Coolidge this morning, Governor Gifford Pinchot expressed his sincere thanks for the president's friendly and considerate action in withholding the text of his letter to International President of the United Mine Workers, John L. Lewis.

"Please accept my very hearty thanks for your friendly and considerate action in withholding the text in order not to interfere with my effort to settle the anthracite strike," the message read. "The plan I have put forward, I believe to be fair to both miners and operators, and it frankly sets the public interest in the highest place. I shall continue to use my best efforts to get anthracite coal for those who need it."

Longworth Is Elected Speaker

Washington, Dec. 7.—The Sixty-ninth Congress, which was voted into office thirteen months ago on the crest of the great Coolidge wave, met today and organized itself in record time for the six months of legislative struggle ahead.

The Republican majority overrode all opposition and elected Representative Nick Longworth of Ohio, as speaker by a substantial majority, despite the Democrats voting for Representative Finis Garrett of Tennessee, and the northwest insurgents showing their defiance of organization control by casting their votes for the venerable Henry Allen Cooper of Wisconsin.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges hold regular meetings this evening:

Rondout Lodge, No. 343, F. and A. M., Masonic Hall, Strand.
Division No. 4, A. O. H., at St. Mary's School Hall.
Kingston Encampment, No. 125, I. O. O. F., at Mechanics' Hall, 14 Henry street.

J. R. B. Smith Lodge, No. 4,473, G. U. O. F., 103 Cornell street.
Sons and Daughters of Liberty, Mechanics' Hall, 14 Henry street.
Kingston Council, No. 275, K. of C., corner Broadway and Andrew street.

Franklin Lodge, No. 27, Knights of Pythias, will hold a regular meeting this evening. The rank of Page will be conferred and there will be election of officers.

Kingston Council, No. 124, Sons and Daughters of Liberty, will hold its regular meeting tonight. Nominations of officers will take place. All members requested to be present.

Colonial Chapter, Order of Daughters of the Empire, will hold a regular meeting at the Masonic rooms on Wall street this evening at 7:30 o'clock. It is earnestly requested that a large number of brothers attend this meeting.

At the regular meeting of Vanderlyn Council, No. 41, D. of A., which will be held Tuesday evening, there will be initiation. The members of the degree team are requested to be present. The work will be done according to the new ritual and the regalia are expected by that time. After the meeting refreshments will be served and a social hour enjoyed.

Women of Mooseheart Legion met in their hall on Henry street Saturday evening. Deputy Grand Regent Laura Shimer from Warwick, N. Y., visited the chapter and installed the officers for the coming year. The installation was public. The Royal Order of Moose attended in a body. The hall was filled with members and their friends. The senior regent gave a fine address of welcome. The past dictator, Mrs. C. Killman, and Dictator Ira Hadsell both made remarks for the good of the order. The deputy grand made a fine address. After the meeting the chairman of the refreshment committee, Mrs. Ira Hadsell, furnished a wonderful banquet. All went home rejoicing over the great success of the meeting.

Friday evening at Kingston Chapter, No. 155, O. E. S., will long be remembered by the officers of 1925. After the regular business of the evening had been transacted the worthy matron announced that she had planned a little surprise for her officers, and it surely was a big surprise to all. The officers were conducted to the East and their chairs were filled by the past matrons of the chapter with Mrs. Irene Heistman acting as marshal, Mrs. Jennie D. S. Main, worthy matron; William L. Van Valkenburgh, worthy patron; Mrs. Nellie Klotz, associate matron; Miss Mary McCullough, conductress; Mrs. Florence Leverett, associate conductress; Mrs. Eva Parish, Adair; Mrs. Lillian E. Huhne, Ruth; Mrs. Margaret Bishop, Esther; Mrs. E. M. Hendricks, Martha; Mrs. Carolyn I. Sullivan, Elvira; Mrs. Kate Eastman, treasurer; Miss E. A. Newland, historian; Mrs. Margaret Johnson, secretary. The past matrons then conferred the floral degree upon the present officers of the chapter, the marshal and worthy matron presenting each officer with a large yellow chrysanthemum and a silver compact and to the worthy patron and sentinel, watch chains with pearl handkerchiefs and pocket knives attached. At the close of the degree, Mrs. O. L. Eastman approached the East and presented Mrs. N. Van Valkenburgh, worthy matron, with a large bouquet of beautiful pink roses, a gift of the past matrons, and also an envelope containing a sum of money for the "Temple Fund," the gift of Mr. and Mrs. Eastman. Mrs. Minnie Newell on behalf of the officers of 1925 thanked the worthy matron for her wonderful surprise of the evening and said this year had been one of "a Labor of Love." At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed and a buffet luncheon served.

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Fire Threatened Auburn Prison

Auburn, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Auburn prison was threatened with destruction today when a fire started in the office of Charles Rattigan, superintendent of industries.

The inmates fought the blaze until firemen arrived. Valuable records were destroyed. The damage was estimated at \$1,000.

A defective gas line caused the fire, it was believed.

Odds and Ends

The Ladies' Aid Society of Temple Emanuel will hold its regular meeting Wednesday. Election of officers will take place. Luncheon will be served.

The Past Noble Grands of Colonial Rebekah Lodge will meet at the home of Mrs. Joseph Barringer, 50 Hoffman street, Tuesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock.

The Gem Society of the Clinton Avenue M. E. Church will hold their regular monthly business meeting Tuesday evening, December 8, at Epworth Hall. All members are requested to be present.

Alhambra Lodge will hold a fancy article sale December 10 in the lodge room. Articles may be left at the residence of Mrs. Mary Reis, Broadway or Mrs. Evelyn Geisler, Hoffman street.

A meeting of the Philathea and Barabaz classes of the Wurts Street Baptist Church will be held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. R. Grant Johnson, 202 West Chestnut street. There will be election of officers.

Colonial Rebekah Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F., will meet in the church parlors of the Trinity M. E. Church on Wednesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock to attend the funeral of their late sister, Mary Sinisaubach. All Rebekahs are invited.

Only One Wood for Spools

In almost the entire world, with its great variety of wood to select from, there is only one kind that is used for spools—the ordinary spools on which sewing thread is wound, writes Charles N. Lurie in St. Nicholas. By far the greatest part of the world's spools are turned from the wood of the white birch tree. It grows in many sections of the United States, but especially well in Maine. Virtually the whole world's supply comes from the great north woods. Some of the spools are made in Maine, but a very large part of the wood is shipped elsewhere for spool-making, after being seasoned where it grows.

Where God Is

Eddie, age four, is a veritable question mark. After attending Sunday school he was at home, seated on the floor playing with his sister, Virginia. He looked up suddenly and asked: "Mamma, where is God?" "God is everywhere," I answered. Eddie held out his hand about twelve inches above the floor. "Is God here, mamma?" he questioned.

I replied in the affirmative. Then again from Eddie, still holding out his hand, "Come here, Virginia, and put your hand on God."

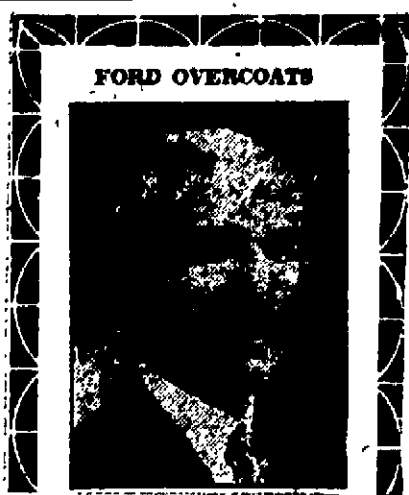
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Weather, cloudy.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by The Freeman's thermometer last night was 36 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 56 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 7.—Eastern New York: Mostly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; probably light local rains or snows in north and central portions, slightly colder Tuesday in north and extreme west portions; moderate to fresh southwest winds.

BUSINESS NOTICES

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Phoenicia and St. Peter's Even

The St. Peter's quintet on its record appearance at All-Ireland Saturday evening met defeat at the hands of the Phoenicia score 42 to 25. The series between these teams now stands even, one all.

Faulkner for the winners led the score with 19 points, Keonig was second with 12 and Murphy third with 8.

The Saints lacked a couple of their regulars, Connelly and Roos filling in.

The score:

St. Peter's	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Koenig, rf.	5	2	12
Murphy, lf.	3	2	8
Bruck, c.	1	0	2
Roos, rg.	0	0	0
Connelly, lg.	1	1	3
Totals	10	5	25

Phoenicia	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Ennist, rf.	3	0	6
Faulkner, lf.	8	3	19
Merrill, c.	2	1	5
Torrey, rg.	3	0	6
Jocelyn, lg.	2	0	4
Totals	18	4	42

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Hornsby Voted Most Valuable National Star

Cards Manager Wins Cash Prize of \$1,000 and Bronze Trophy— "Kiki" Cuyler and Kelly Place Second and Third.

New York, Dec. 7.—Gravely with all due regard for the conventions, a committee of eight baseball writers wound up and informed a reluctant public of something it already knew, i. e., and to wit.

That Rogers Hornsby, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals and the world's greatest hitter, was the most valuable player in the National League for the season of 1925.

A cash prize of \$1,000 and a bronze trophy went to the winner of the contest. Hornsby deserves both of them and more. He would have received the award of Dazzy Vance, Brooklyn right hander, in 1924, if it wasn't for the fact that one of the committee men, in a moment of playfulness or abstraction or both, neglected to place Hornsby anywhere in his first ten choices.

Hornsby Tops All.

This time, all the boys bore down and there was no kidding around. Hornsby was given three first, three seconds and two third places by the committee for a total of 77 points. A perfect score, of course, would be 80.

Hazen "Kiki" Cuyler, of Pittsburgh, finished a sound second with 61 points and George Kelly, of the Giants, was third with 52.

The remainder of the field finished as follows:

Wright, Pirates, 43; Vance, Dodgers, 42; Bancroft, Braves, 41; Doolittle, Cardinals, 28; Traynor, Pirates, 27; Fricch, Giants, 12; Roush, Reds, 12.

Cuyler made an uncommonly fine showing in the vote, being accorded two first and one second. However, he was rated as low as sixth by one committee man and seventh by another and this ruined him.

Kelly got one first and one second. The only other players to score a first were Wright, the Pirate shortstop, and Bancroft, playing manager of the Braves.

The contest was conducted under the auspices of the Baseball Writers' Association and the personal supervision of its president, James M. Gould, of St. Louis. The committee men voted separately and without knowledge of their colleagues' ballot. Yet only twenty-one players were named out of an eighty players eligible to receive one vote or more.

Official Standing.

Ten points were counted for first place, nine for second, eight for third, etc. The official standing of the players was as follows:

Player	Points
Hornsby	77
Cuyler	61
Kelly	52
Wright	43
Vance	42
Bancroft	41
Doolittle	28
Traynor	27
Fricch	12
Roush	12

The committee of writers was made up as follows: Frank Graham, New York Sun; S. O. Grauley, Philadelphia Inquirer; Tom Swope, Cincinnati Post; Thomas Meany, Brooklyn Times; Eurt Whitman, Boston Herald; Charles J. Doyle, Pittsburgh Gazette-Times; Martin Haley, St. Louis Globe-Democrat; and James Crisberry, Chicago Tribune.

On Repairing a Book

The Princeton University Press says it usually costs more to repair the binding of a book than it does to do the whole job over.

This Seems Logical

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Kingston Lost To Monroe Five

Kingston dropped a game to the Monroe five in a Tri-County League contest Saturday evening, score 45 to 35.

With a team minus two regulars, Kingston staged a pretty exhibition. The local representatives are crippled, Manager Spalt being injured in a auto mishap and Johnson sustaining fractured ribs. But the five representing Kingston in Monroe could hardly be called crippled from their exhibition. With Bob Meeker at center and Jack Robins playing guard, the combination worked well.

Dolson and Van Buren were tied for the scoring honors with 14 points.

The score:

Kingston	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Dolson, f.	5	4	14
Van Buren, f.	7	0	14
Meeker, c.	1	1	3
Thurin, g.	1	2	4
Robins, g.	1	2	4
Totals	15	9	39

Monroe	F.G.	F.P.	T.P.
Welling, f.	4	1	9
Evards, f.	4	4	12
Gannon, c.	4	3	11
Bates, g.	2	1	5
Taylor, g.	3	2	8
Totals	17	11	45

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